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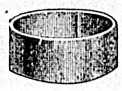

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AT 2 O'CLOCK
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The Victoria & Sidney Railway will run an excursion to Sidney on that day, leaving Topaz avenue at 1 p.m., returning leave Sidney at 5 p.m. Persons wishing to attend this sale can be put off within 300 yards of the farm.
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je29 Farm Stock Auctioneers.

NOTICE.

A meeting of the creditors in the estate of Munroe Miller will be held at the office, 77 Johnson street, on Tuesday, July 10th, at 11 o'clock a.m.
Business: To receive balance sheet and report of assignee for the preceding twelve months. All interested are requested to attend in person, or by proxy.
THOS. T. HULL,
je29 td Assignee.

New Advertisements Continued on Page Eight

THE PULLMAN BOYCOTT.

The Action of the Union Felt by the Northern and Southern Pacific.

Employes Ready to Handle All Trains Except Those Having Pullmans.

Troubles on Other Lines Arising Out of Various Demands of Employes.

HELENA, Mont., June 28.—The first effects of the Pullman boycott were seen here yesterday. When the east-bound Northern Pacific train arrived the west-bound train was tied up at Livingston, and the superintendent of the Montana division ordered the east-bound train to be killed when it got to Helena. This was done, and the 200 passengers were scattered about the city sight-seeing. There has been no excitement, and everyone takes the situation good naturedly. On the Montana division, extending from Helena to Livingston, not a wheel is moving owing to the fact that the shopmen at the latter point have taken advantage of the Pullman boycott to present their demands for an increase of pay, and have gone out. There are a lot of tourists at Livingston and a big number in the National park who have been caught by the tie-up. From Helena west trains are operated. The Great Northern, which runs its own sleeping-cars, is running all right.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—The American Railway Union men in the employ of the Southern Pacific have asserted their power. As a result of their attempt to enforce the Pullman boycott passenger trains are tied up at every railway centre in the state, and there is every indication that the tie-up may be protracted. An official of the Southern Pacific Company declared that his people had made up their minds that if they are not to be allowed to run Pullman coaches they will run no trains at all. The local officers of the American Railway Union declare that the Pullman coaches must be withdrawn, and both sides seem to be prepared for a bitter and determined fight.

OAKLAND, Cal., June 27—The local branch of the American Railway Union having considered the order of General President Debs, of the American Railway Union, decided to put it into effect. A message was then sent to the officials of the Southern Pacific in San Francisco, notifying them that no Pullmans would be handled by members of the order. In the yards of the road, as soon as the hour referred to arrived, the men who had been cleaning Pullmans abandoned them, leaving the work half finished. The engineers in charge of the switch engines refused to pull the Pullmans from the yards to the mole.

DENVER, June 28—No through trains are running on the Santa Fe, owing to the Pullman boycott. Five trains are held at Raton, N.M., and one at La Junta, Colo. The company is determined not to move trains without Pullmans, and has appealed to the Federal courts here and at Santa Fe, N.M., for protection. Marshals will be sent from Denver to La Junta, Colo., and from Santa Fe to Raton, N.M.

CHICAGO, June 28.—A committee from the American Union was sent to the Fort Wayne yards this afternoon to call out all the yard and engine-men. The yardsmen of the Chicago & Alton road were ordered out during the afternoon. All the union men employed on the Alton road between Chicago and St. Louis have been ordered to go out on strike to-night. It is reported that 500 non-union men are on their way from San Francisco to take the places of the strikers.

COLUMBUS, O., June 28.—A committee of the employes of the Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo Railway called upon President Waite this morning and presented a new schedule of wages, in which a demand is made for a full restoration of the wages that have been systematically cut down during the past year. Office clerks, shop hands and trainmen are included in this list. The miners are in sympathy with the employes, and in case of a strike assert they will not mine coal to move trains manned with non-union men. President Waite gave his reply this afternoon: "Restoration of wages is refused until normal conditions prevail and there is no longer danger of a strike, when the company will restore the last ten cent cut and date it back to June." It is not believed that the employes will accept the terms offered by President Waite. The move for the restoration of wages is under the auspices of the American Railway Union.

MILWAUKEE, June 28.—Receiver Henry C. Payne, of the Northern Pacific Railroad, said this afternoon that the receivers would do nothing to compel their employes to remain at work so long as the men do not interfere with the property of the trust estate. "There remains little for us to do," said he. "They have a perfect right to strike under the orders issued by Judge Jenks provided they do not interfere with the rights of the company as guaranteed by the laws. The privilege to quit was never denied them by the court." Asked whether the receivers would proceed to fill the men's places at once, Mr. Payne said that the matter was in the hands of General-Manager Kendrick, who had full power to act.

HOW THE STAGE WAS ROBBED.

A Passenger Explains the Cariboo Road Highwayman's Method—A Tell-Tale Mask.

Just how the Cariboo stage robber did his work last Monday is described by Mr. Phelps, a well known resident of the upper country now in Victoria. He was a passenger from the 150 on the wagonette held up, sharing the driver's seat, there being also one other passenger "inside." The stage left the 150 Mile House at daybreak, and the lone highwayman made his appearance about half-an-hour later, a little after 3 o'clock, stepping from the bush into the middle of the road and covering the driver with his rifle, at the same time commanding him to "hold up."

The driver did so, and he and Mr. Phelps had plenty of opportunity to observe the robber. He was a tall man, of five feet nine or ten, very quick and agile. His gray eyes were sharp and keen, seen through two holes in a hastily constructed mask made from a piece of gunny sack which completely covered his face and hair. The hands which held the rifle quivered as though the highwayman were very nervous, though his voice was calm.

As soon as the stage had been brought to a standstill he ordered the driver to throw out the express box.

"I can't do it," was the reply, "it's tucked away behind. You'd better get it out for yourself."

"Don't get funny now," was the reply, "throw out the way bag then."

The driver informed him that it, too, was put away behind, and he was then instructed to hunt it out, and the express box too, and move lively about it.

While lifting out the box and bag the driver made an ineffectual attempt to get at his revolver, which was in his hip pocket, but the robber anticipated the action and took good care to prevent its accomplishment.

In the meantime the inside passenger, thinking there was likely to be "some shooting," had started down the road on a run; he was the recipient of a moment's attention from the highwayman, who bringing his rifle to bear on him, soon had him back on the stage.

As soon as the express box and mail sack has been thrown out the stage was allowed to proceed. It is Mr. Phelps' belief that the robber expected to possess himself of some of the Horse Fly gold, which, however, had not yet commenced to come down. He is believed to be the same man who stopped the stage only a short time ago, when he informed the driver that he would soon again call on him. The police have a good clue to the desperado's identity, as his gunnysack mask has been identified by the settler from whose house the material was taken by a stranger who passed the night there, and of them a close description was obtained. The stage is now guarded by Gunner Oliver, of the B.C.B.G.A., who has just entered upon his hazardous and responsible duties.

Mr. Phelps reports that gold is now being produced at the South Forks, and that operations at Barkerville will commence soon. Mr. A. D. Whittier has returned to Williams Creek, and Mr. C. F. Law has brought in machinery to bore in the deep ground near Willow Creek, where the prospects are extremely good.

MADAME LAIRD'S CONCERT.

An Excellent Programme Rendered at Institute Hall Last Evening.

Madame Laird's first concert in this city was certainly greatly appreciated by the large audience assembled in Institute hall last evening, and the excellent manner in which the programme was carried out was the subject of much favorable comment. Miss Agnes Dawson, L. R. A. M., opened the programme with a prelude by Chopin, which was given with great delicacy and taste, while her second number, Polacca Brillante (Weber), was enthusiastically received and called for an encore. Mr. Ernest Wolff's violin solos as usual gave great pleasure. His Legende (Wieniawski) and Rhapsodie Hungroise were masterpieces, the piano accompaniment by Miss Leech assisting in the general effect. The manner in which the double quartette of male voices under the excellent leadership of Mr. Greig sang the Night (Beethoven) and Poculum (Dr. Carne) was a pleasure to hear. Madame Laird was in excellent voice; her singing of "Robert toi que j'aime" and Valse (Gregh) fully sustained her high reputation as a vocalist. The vocal duet, "Guard a che Bianca Luna," by Mrs. Burton and Miss L. Hartnagl, was very pleasantly rendered and showed careful training, and Miss Hartnagl was also heard to advantage in a solo, "Seville," (Dessauer). By no means the least enjoyable feature of the evening was Miss Lizzie Harvey's solo "Where e'er you go," (Lord Somerset), which was very sweetly sung. As a whole the concert went off remarkably well, the good points in the programme securing the recognition of hearty applause.

CORONATION DAY.

Enthusiastic Celebration of the Fifty-Sixth Anniversary of the Event.

LONDON, June 28.—Salutes of artillery were fired this morning in St. James' park in honor of the 56th anniversary of the coronation of Queen Victoria, which took place one year and one week after she succeeded to the throne. This afternoon special review drills were given in Regents Park by the First Life Guards, and by the Second Life Guards in Hyde Park.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Crops Damaged by a Severe Hail Storm—Proposition to Move the Archiepiscopal Seat From St. Boniface.

WINNIPEG, June 28.—(Special)—A severe hail storm damaged the crops in the vicinity of Sewell and Manchester yesterday.

Stewart Mulvey has been appointed a police magistrate for Winnipeg.

A proposition is on foot to move the Archiepiscopal seat from St. Boniface to Winnipeg before Archbishop Tache's successor is appointed.

FAST ATLANTIC SERVICE.

Van Horne has No Doubt as to Its Success.

MONTREAL, June 28.—(Special)—In an interview regarding the proposed fast Atlantic service yesterday, Sir William Van Horne said an Atlantic steamship service of the highest class was one of the very greatest needs of the country, and he had no doubt of its success if properly established and handled.

KINGSTON MILITARY COLLEGE.

Closing Exercises—Imperial Commissions Recommended to Successful Graduates.

KINGSTON, June 28—The closing exercises of the Royal Military College took place yesterday. The graduates recommended for commissions in the regular army are: Sergeant George A. A. Osborne, Kingston, Royal Engineers; Sergeant V. L. Beer, Charlottetown, P.E.I., Royal Artillery; R. H. B. Magee, Port Hope, Infantry; S. C. Hucker, Lennoxville, Q., Infantry.

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PRESERVING kettles and preserving crocks at Weiler Bros. *

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COLONIAL CONFERENCE.

Inaugurated Under the Most Enthusiastic and Encouraging Auspices.

The Governor-General's Welcome—Speeches of Lord Jersey and Other Visitors.

General Desire Manifested For More Intimate Relations—Banquet to the Delegates.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 28.—The great colonial conference opened to-day with an amount of eclat almost unprecedented in Canada. Ottawa put on a festive air for the occasion, and flags and bunting were flying from a hundred buildings. The Senate chamber was crowded to the doors by a brilliant assemblage.

Lord Aberdeen took the chair promptly at eleven o'clock, being followed into the chamber by the delegates in order of seniority. While in Canada they are the guests of the government. The Governor-General delivered a warm welcome and said the occasion on which they had assembled was likely to prove a memorable one. He trusted their deliberations would result in benefit to the Empire of Great Britain.

Sir John Thompson delivered a happy speech in welcoming the delegates on behalf of the Dominion government. As on previous occasions Colonial delegates had exchanged pledges over their grievances, to-day they plighted anew their faith in the progress and development of this great Empire which they represented. (Loud cheers.)

The Earl of Jersey returned thanks for the hearty welcome which had been accorded the delegates. The historian liked to mark the epochs of peace, and they might thank Heaven that they were about to inaugurate an epoch which should be one of peace, although the former conference had been to perfect arrangements for protection in time of war. He expressed himself as in full sympathy with the objects of the conference, and declared his wonder at what Canada had done to bring the Northern and Southern parts of the Empire together, and praised the enterprise which had built the C.P.R. (Applause.) He thought it was a happy augury for the opening of the conference that the good wishes and smiles (indicating the galleries) of the fairest ones of Canada should look down upon us (loud applause) and the delegates took the earliest opportunity to offer them their homage and respectful admiration. In conclusion he expressed his assurance that they would spend a pleasant time in Ottawa, after the reception they had received.

Lord Jersey's speech was acknowledged to be the speech of the occasion.

Hon. Nicholas Fitzgerald, representing Tasmania, followed. He referred to the picturesqueness of his colony and its foremost position in loyalty and desire for extended trade relations with the rest of the Empire. It was an auspicious day on which they met, being the anniversary of Her Majesty's coronation. He hoped the conference would be fruitful in aiding to extend to the furthest corners of the world the blessings of trade and commerce. He concluded by endorsing the sentiments of his colleagues from Australia, saying that he hoped the conference would be productive of much good to the colonies and the empire.

Hon Mr. Suttor, of New South Wales, and Mr. DeVilliers, of the Cape of Good Hope, were then called upon and made pleasing replies.

Hon. Thomas Playford, of South Australia, dwelt in a business like manner upon the possibilities of the extension of trade between his country and Canada.

A. Lee-Smith for New Zealand, was the next speaker and was followed by Hon. Simon Fraser for Victoria. After Mr. Thynne, of Queensland had spoken,

Mr. Suttor moved "That a committee be appointed to prepare an address of congratulations from the conference to Her Majesty the Queen on the occasion of her having attained the 56th anniversary of her coronation." This was done and a resolution on these lines was adopted by the conference, Lord Aberdeen expressing the heartfelt pleasure it would give him to forward it to Her Majesty and assuring them beforehand of its gracious reception.

The meeting broke up by singing "God Save the Queen."

The banquet given by the Canadian government to the Imperial and Colonial delegates was a most successful function. Three hundred gentlemen—senators, members of parliament, representatives of boards of trade, etc., were present. The speeches were characterized by expressions of loyalty, and devotion to the Queen and motherland, and the desire for preferential trade arrangements within the Empire was strongly expressed. Several Australians spoke of the great object lesson which United Canada furnished to the world, and said they should return home strengthened in the determination to work for the federation of the Australian colonies. A reference to Hon. Cecil Rhodes evoked tremendous cheering.

ONTARIO POLITICS.

Appointments By the Mowat Ministry—Standing of Parties in the Legislature.

TORONTO, June 28.—(Special)—The government has appointed C. F. Fraser, late Commissioner of Public Works, to be inspector of registry offices. Hon. Mr. Drury has been made sheriff of Simcoe; Dr. Gilmour, ex-member for West York, has been appointed registrar for East and North Middlesex; Dr. McMahon, ex-member for North Wentworth, stamp distributor at Osgoode Hall, Toronto; N. A. Belcourt, of Ottawa, clerk of the peace and county crown attorney for Carleton, and F. W. Murton, of Hamilton, sheriff of Wentworth.

Crediting West Algoma to the government, the standing of the parties for the Ontario Legislature is now: 48 Liberals, 27 Conservatives, 16 Patrons, 1 Independent, and 2 P.P.A's.

The Bank Exchange.
Private dining rooms up stairs.

Drink Victoria-Phœnix Lager Beer.

NORTH VICTORIA.

Captain Robertson Adopts His Usual Tactics and Is Severely Rebuked.

The Premier Demonstrates the Absurdity of His Contentions—Mr. Booth's Speech.

There was to have been a meeting of the electors of North Victoria at Sidney Wednesday night, when it was fully understood that Mr. Booth, the government candidate, and Captain Robertson, the opposition man, were to meet on the platform. A number of people from the city went out, and the Premier, anxious to give Captain Robertson his longed for opportunity to meet him, went along to gratify that gentleman's wish. When Sidney was reached, however, it seemed that the gallant Captain preferred to have a little meeting of his own at North Saanich, two miles away. Unwilling to disappoint the Captain, the Premier and Mr. Booth jumped into a buggy and sped away to where Captain Robertson was holding forth, while the electors who had met at Sidney filed along behind—and away they went to North Saanich school house, where Captain Robertson and a baker's dozen of his supporters had gathered.

"Why," said the Captain when he saw the Premier appear, "I have been wanting to meet you for a long time."

"I suppose you are not disappointed now," blandly replied the Premier, with a smile, and then the audience waited until the people who were at Sidney came along. After a time they appeared, and the school house was rapidly filled to the doors.

Mr. D. Macdonald was appointed to the chair, and briefly opening the proceedings, called upon Mr. Booth to speak.

Mr. Booth—as it was supposed to be Capt. Robertson's meeting—had not expected to break the ice. However, he would state that he represented the government, but would not enter into their general policy so fully as he otherwise would had not the Premier been there to speak for himself. Answering the accusation that he had changed sides in politics, Mr. Booth stated that he had supported the policy of what was known as the DeCosmos administration, as it had inaugurated the plan of spending money for the development of the country, and had opposed the Beaven party because they had gone back to the old policy of stagnation. In a young country it did not do to keep the expenditure within the revenue always, as just as a man put borrowed capital into a farm for the purpose of development and looking to the future, so it was in this young country. That was the reason he supported the government and why the country itself supported it, and would always do so. (Applause.) At the last election he had been returned as an independent supporter of the government, and had consistently followed that course ever since. The government had, it was true, borrowed money to open up the country, but the bridges, roads and other public works were assets for offsetting the amount borrowed. The people did not want the Beaven stagnation. Touching on the railway policy it was evident that it was developing the country, and the railways were so assisted that they would pay their own way. As to the Nakusp & Slocan, what had decided him to vote for the bill was that the C. P. R. certainly must have had faith in the enterprise or they would not have agreed to run the road free of cost for 20 years on the terms they had, and still deposit 40 per cent. of the gross earnings with the Province to pay the interest. He would leave the past policy of the government to speak for itself; it is the future that must be dealt with What did the opposition propose? If they had a policy was it not time for them to trot it out so that the people could see it. (Laughter.) He hadn't seen it yet. Captain Robertson had promised to unfold a tale, but it was still not unfolded. They would like to know what that policy was. (A voice, "he hasn't got one.") Population should be the basis of representation was what some of the Vancouver opposition maintained. Now if this was the case the four cities would control the Province, and that would not be good policy. The Beaven people represented the mossbacks.

A voice—No, no!

Mr. Booth—O, yes they do. Let the country go back to the old Beaven policy and the Province would stand still. Turning to the land question, he showed how the government had framed the land act, not to give away large tracts of land, but to induce actual settlement on small holdings. The farmers were the backbone of the country, and their duty to the country was to support the present administration (applause), which steered a middle course, liberal but economical, with a view to increasing the productiveness of the Province. (Renewed applause.) Referring to educational matters, he held that the state owed every child a good ordinary education, but further than that the parents should pay for it. The present education provided was high enough, and beyond that the government should go slow. In conclusion he told his hearers that their own judgment would tell them it was in their interest to sustain the present administration. (Great applause.)

Captain Robertson came forward to speak next amid some applause. He accused the government of having gerrymandered the district, and said that Mr. Booth belonged to the "silent brigade" in the house. The policy of the government was rotten and dishonest, while that of the opposition was one of honesty. Not one single act had been passed by the government for the benefit of the people, but everything was for the syndicates. He could not see what chance the country had to grow. The salmon industry and collieries were in the hands of syndicates and it was impossible to open up any other mines while the present party were in power. (Laughter.) They might as well put a new born babe in the woods as settlers. They could not make a living. The government should see that the white men were protected from the competition of the Jap fishermen. Mr. Booth did not to-day own any land and yet he was the man who talked about opening up the country. (Applause and laughter.) What did Mr. Booth know about anything Mr. Booth spoke of education, but could not even speak or write three lines of decent English. (Cries of "speak the truth.") Capt. Robertson then went back to the threadbare arguments against the crofters and made an attack on Hon. Col. Baker for trying to sell the Cranbrook estate. There were three things, he went on to say, that now hurt the province—the way they were robbed by the Dominion government, the way they were robbed by the Provincial government, and Asiatic competition. All the railways that were in the province brought the people only taxation. For eight months out of the twelve the railways in the interior country were snowed up, and the system of giving grants to railways he could only define as a fraud. It was an open and shut game. The government had been depriving the province of lands, and there was not one of its members but would have his deserts if he were sent to the penitentiary (laughter); and if his party got in they would try and send them there. (Laughter.) He had fought pirates, and was not afraid of God, man or devil. So how could they say he was afraid to face the Premier. (Laughter.) After going on in the same strain for some time, accusing the government of "prostituting their office," as he styled it, he turned to the Nakusp & Slocan, saying that the late Chief Justice had at the close of a brilliant career tarnished his name by being a tool of Mr. Davie. (A storm of hisses and cries of "shame.") The Asiatic question was the next thing dealt with, "the prime source of all our troubles." Japs were brought into the province and naturalized twenty-four hours after, so that the canners could keep the pay of fishermen down. There were more Asiatics in the province than white voters, and a time would come when the whites would be outnumbered altogether. He had been accused of bringing Chinese to the country. He did not, it was his wife who brought three Chinese servants here. He went on to complain that white girls could not go out to service because of Chinese competition. The canneries instead of being a blessing to the province were a curse by cutting down the rate for labor, and our young men would have no prospects until that was stopped, and it could not be stopped until the present government were turned out. Then as to the parliament buildings, $522,000 was got for the $600,000 loan; it cost 13 per cent. to bring the money here. Mr. Robertson then stated that while Mr. Booth was now so friendly with Mr. Davie there was one occasion in the house when the Premier and the late Hon. John Robson had a disagreement on the Sunday bill that Mr. Booth had sided with Mr. Robson and told Mr. Davie he lied, and the Premier had told him to go home and feed his swine, it was all he was fit for. Mr. Booth had at a meeting held a little while ago called Mr. Cotton a swindler and a thief. He did not do so here, but at other meetings.

Mr. Booth—It's a lie, and you know it.

Captain Robertson dropped personalities suddenly, and went on to blame the government for the present depression. (Laughter and "What's the trouble in the United States and all over the world?") The government had rushed the estimates through the house. The island had not got its fair share of roads and bridges, was the next complaint, most of the money was spent in Kootenay. The expenditures on Government House and on surveys were some other things he objected to, quoting a long list of figures on various subjects, finding fault with all, including the labor bureau, which he said the labor people themselves said was useless. Col. Baker's travelling expenses to England, $1,000, was another item, and if Col. Baker had tried any of these tricks in England he would have been in the chain gang. The expenditure for the smallpox epidemic was only a windfall for the doctors, there was no need of it, and harm had been done to the children vaccinated by the filth injected into them. The Premier had started the expenditure then just to give his brother a position.

Hon. Mr. Davie got a regular ovation as he rose to reply to Capt. Robertson, and it was some minutes before the applause subsided. The burden of the last speaker's remarks was, he said, that everyone opposed to his particular views was a thief and a scoundrel. Capt. Robertson had said he feared neither God nor the Devil—well, probably that was the true character of the man. The first part of his speech had been listened to by him (Mr. Davie) with feelings of amusement, but when Capt. Robertson began his disgraceful attack on that great man Sir Matthew Begbie that feeling gave way to one of mingled pity and disgust. The dead might have been allowed to rest in peace and the remarks confined to those who were living. (Hear, hear.) When he (Capt. Robertson) came to tell them of the tarnished character of Sir Matthew Begbie, perhaps he would also tell them of the tarnished character of Mr. Justice Burbidge, the judge of the Exchequer Court of Canada, who sat on the same bench and who bore a bright reputation over the whole Dominion. He (Mr. Davie) had been taught to look with suspicion on a man who had no good to say of anyone but himself. It could not be that all the world was wrong and one man alone right. Yet that was what Capt. Robertson said. When he (Capt. Robertson) said that $400,000 was going to waste he told as foul a lie as when he spoke of the late Chief Justice. (Cheers.) The man was trying to impose on them. Hon. Mr. Davie proceeded to read the expenditure on improvements, roads, streets and bridges, for the past six years, showing that the roads had been kept up in the district. Indeed, had not the opposition made it one of their cries that the district was getting more than its just share? Throughout the province the government had aimed at improving the roads and bridges, in contra-distinction to Mr. Beaven's cheeseparing policy. Captain Robertson had ridiculed the labor bureau, but did he not know that only a few days ago some 50 or 60 men would have been thrown out of employment had it not been for the labor act being referred to in settling the matter by conciliation. As to Col. Baker's trip, Capt. Robertson had nothing to say of one of his own party when in power charging $3,000 for his trip home. Yet because Col. Baker had charged $1,000 he was told that he ought to be branded with a broad arrow. Mr. Davie bore testimony to Mr. Booth's usefulness in the house and went on to deal with Capt. Robertson's complaints about syndicates, showing how only men with large capital could build railways and great undertakings. Besides it was from these big syndicates such as the Vancouver Coal Co. and others that the province received most of the taxes. He showed how absurd was the contention that the railways were snowed up eight months of the year, and scored Capt. Robertson heavily for his wild statements generally. He defended the government's railway policy, showing how advantageous it was for the province. Capt. Robertson evidently did not believe in capital coming from outside. That meant he did not want employment to be given the poor man by new enterprises being opened up. As to Chinese if it had not been for the policy of the government there would have been more Chinese here than there are. The increase of the tax they would find had been voted for by both himself and Mr. Booth. As to the number of Chinese they were decreasing not increasing in the Province. Captain Robertson's statement that Mr. Booth could not read or write, was too absurd, though there were better men than Captain Robertson, even if they could neither read nor write. Mr. Booth's record was well known. (A voice—"As clear a record as ever a man had in the district," and cheers.) But who was Captain Robertson to come here and malign people. It was demagogues such as Captain Robertson who in other countries

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ja28-tf C. DUBOIS MASON. Secretary.

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BY ORDER of the mortgagee, under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain indenture of chattel mortgage, dated the 5th day of April, 1893, and duly registered in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, tenders will be received by the undersigned at No. 20 Bastion street, Victoria, on or before Monday, the 2nd day of July, 1894 for the purchase of all and singular the plant, machinery and chattels (more particularly described in schedule thereto), in, upon and about the messuages and premises of the Victoria Iron Works Co., Ltd., situate on the land known as Lots 5, 6, 18 and 19, in Block C, Finlayson Estate, in said City of Victoria.
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ELECTION CARDS.

TO THE ELECTORS
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VICTORIA CITY ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—

Owing to the large number of Voters on the list it will be quite impossible for us to see you personally, and we therefore take this means of addressing you, to respectfully request your support at the approaching Provincial Election for the return of four members to represent this City, which takes place on the 7th JULY, A.D. 1894, and will be held at the CITY MARKET.

If elected, we shall give our hearty support to the present Government, which has done so much to promote the general advancement and prosperity of the Province.

We shall also use every endeavor to secure such legislation as has for its object the further development of the Province, and of this City in particular; to so harmonize capital and labor as to make profitable employment for both; to assist the settlement of the agricultural districts by all legitimate means; to continue the present system of free non-sectarian education, and to aid the passage of all laws which will tend to ensure the liberty, happiness and general welfare of the people of the Province.

Trusting to honored with your vote and support on election day,

We are,
Your obedient servants,
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ELECTION CARDS

TO THE ELECTORS
OF
Victoria City Electoral District

GENTLEMEN:—The general election now being near at hand, and being a candidate for re-election, I wish to place my views on some of the questions commanding your attention, as well as to intimate the line of action which I shall take and the measures which I shall, if opportunity permits, support and maintain.

The party now in power have practically held office for over eleven years. Their policy has been an indefinite one on many of the questions requiring consideration. At the last general election the Opposition advocated reform in the land laws of the province, and have been able to make some important changes.

The privilege of allowing speculators and non residents to take up large tracts of land has been taken away and the lands are now available for actual settlers.

By the efforts of the Opposition the assessment of wild land has been much improved; the ad valorem principle of assessment according to the land value, is now the law.

There are two essential matters yet to be carried out in connection with the encouraging of agriculture settlers. First, the serveying of available lands for such a purpose and giving the necessary information by the Lands and Works Department; second, the making of roads to such settlements, so that the farmer may be able to bring his produce to market—such a policy as this must be adopted in order to develop and encourage the farming industry of our Province. By so doing we shall add much to our wealth and prosperity.

The railway policy of the Government has not been a business-like one. From the time of the grant given to the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway down to the Nakusp & Slocan deal, the interests of the Province and the welfare of the people have not been well guarded. On the one hand a corporation receives a large subsidy and an immense tract of land, free from taxation for ever; on the other, a private company is subsidized by guaranteeing the bonds to the full cost of the road as well as interest on the same for twenty-five years. One cannot but come to the conclusion that a Government policy of such a character is likely to bring the credit of the Province into disrepute.

Monopolies of any kind are to be deplored; but monopolies backed by Government aid and support are often the most difficult to overcome. Government aid to such an extent as has been given in the instances referred to precludes other roads from being assisted or built. As an instance of this we recognize the difficulty the British Pacific Railway will have in dealing with the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway and its existing rights. Thus by the action of the present Government in the past it looks as if the province were at the mercy of ringsters and monopolists who are despoiling the people of their heritage.

I am opposed to the executive using its power to make large appropriations of money by special warrant for roads, streets, bridges and public works, without first submitting such to the legislature. Such a course of action leads to favoritism and corruption and is not in accord with the principles of constitutional government.

I have advocated, and will continue to do so, the reduction of taxation on improvements and the abolition of taxes on mortgages. The latter impost presses doubly hard upon the borrower, and the repeal of this law would be in the interest and for the advancement of the province.

The practice followed on the eve of a general election of promising aid to public works and institutions by members of the executive should be condemned, as it is attempting to bribe the electors with their own money. The independent electors should answer this by sending men to the Legislature who will do their utmost to remove such ministers from power.

During the past four years legislation has been brought about, chiefly by the Opposition, in reforming the School Law. The residents of the cities have now greater power over the management of their schools, and more is yet desired in this particular. I shall use my best endeavors to bring this about, so that our schools may be free of all political influences.

I have also advocated further restriction on Chinese immigration and the employment of Chinese by any company seeking charters or grants from the Legislature. I have advocated and still maintain that a clause should be inserted in all bills giving such privileges or aid to prevent the employment of this class of labor.

I also have advocated the necessity of employing residents of the Province instead of non-residents or foreigners in the prosecution of all works or contracts let by the Government.

It is impossible in an address of this kind to touch on all questions affecting the Province. I hope, however, before long to have the opportunity of addressing the electors in public meeting at which time I will refer to matters more extensively.

Hoping that my past record as a representative in the Local Legislature has been acceptable to you, I again seek your votes and support.

I remain, yours respectfully,
jn9 G. L. MILNE.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE
TAX ON DOGS.

Owners of Dogs are requested to take notice that the Tax for the year 1894 on every Dog within the City of Victoria, is now due. The provisions of the Pound By-law and the Revenue By-law, 1893, will be enforced with respect to any such tax remaining unpaid from this date.

Mr. Robert Carter is authorized to collect above tax. CHAS. KENT,
City Collector's Office, Collector.
Victoria, B.C., May 2nd, 1894. my3-2m

NOTICE.

Superior Street, between Oswego and Menzies, will be closed to public traffic till further notice.
(Signed) E. A. WILMOT,
my30 tf City Engineer.

NOTICE.

Government Street, between Queen's Avenue and Bay Street, will be closed till further notice
By order.
(Signed) E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
May 28, 1894 my29-tf

NOTICE.

FOURTH STREET, between King's Road and Bay Street, is closed to traffic until further notice.
(Signed) E. A. WILMOT,
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OPPOSITION LIES.

The Premier Clinches Fabrications as to Government Statements Regarding the Flood.

What Mr. Davie Actually Did Say Regarding the Extent of the Casualty.

VANCOUVER, June 28.—(Special)—The following interview with Premier Davie appears in this evening's World: Hon. Theodore Davie came over from Victoria this morning and left by the Atlantic express for the Interior, where he is advertised to address a meeting in Kamloops on Saturday evening. Upon inquiry as to how the campaign was progressing, he replied:

"Entirely satisfactory to the government, and all this notwithstanding the misrepresentations which the opposition are now raising, and which are coming thicker and faster as each day passes and the date of polling approaches. Hardly a day passes but that some new falsehood, manufactured out of whole cloth for political purposes crops to the surface.

"The latest one I observed in the Victoria Times last evening, where its Ottawa correspondent, writing upon the Fraser river calamity, asserts that His Honor the Lieut.-Governor, as well as I, wired to that city that there was no distress consequent upon the floods. I do not know what His Honor the Lieut.-Governor dispatched, as I was not consulted about it, nor did I see it before it was sent, nor had I anything whatever to do with its preparation. You may depend upon it, however, that he did not use such language as is attributed to him. My dispatch reads that the report sent abroad concerning the floods had been exaggerated, and that the distress, although considerable, and in some cases most serious, was not such, however, as the means and the ability of the Province could not relieve.

"I further stated in my dispatch that what was wanted was the Dominion to inaugurate a comprehensive system of dyking and the protection of the river banks from a recurrence of the disastrous flood. This is a very different matter from stating that there was no distress, which, to say the least, would have been stupid and misleading—as stupid in fact as the effort of the opposition to fasten such a statement upon me. That is but a fair sample of the many half-truths that party has been circulating about myself, the government and its supporters, and about which Tennyson has sung that they are the 'blackest of lies.' Upon being asked why he had sent such a dispatch as he did the Premier explained that he did so in response to a message he had received from Ottawa that an appeal should be made to Eastern cities for aid to the distressed.

"Believing that this would be a false step," said he, "and likely to bring the Province into a most unenviable notoriety, I promptly checked the suggestion, fully appreciating, however, the generosity, charity and goodwill of those who had made the proposal, and for which the people of the Province will be forever grateful. The more I have thought over the matter the clearer it seems to me that in that appeal, if it had been allowed to be made, a fatal blunder would have been perpetrated. I felt that within this Province there were sufficient of those imbued with the promptings of sympathy and fellow-feeling for neighbors in distress to render timely aid.

"The government acted with promptness and I am certain had it been advisable to go outside the government for assistance, that British Columbians—true to their past record—would have responded to the appeal, and that at once. But to go outside of ourselves under all the circumstances, would not have been justifiable nor honest towards those for whom we would thus have received succor."

A WILLING TOOL.

The Humiliation Which Candidate Schou Has Brought Upon Himself.

(From the Westminster News.)

Mr. Schou as a young man, with a possible future before him, might have known better than to lend himself as a tool for any party or class of people to go so far from home into a country where he is unknown to contest a constituency (East Kootenay) already represented by one of the most representative men of British Columbia, and of whose election there is not the slightest doubt. He might have spared himself that humiliation. He should not have permitted himself to be carried away with the idea that the whole of life was centred in a single election. A man who can be made a tool of for such an absurd purpose as that will not elevate himself in the estimation of intelligent people. If it seems necessary to place a man in the field to bluster the public, it would appear much more reasonable that he should be selected from the riding, or be at least familiar with the people whose suffrages he sought. As far as Col. Baker is concerned, it makes no difference to him whether he had an opponent or not; neither was it material who that opponent might be. It is slightly inconvenient to leave the important work he is engaged in at present to travel that distance, especially when there is nothing to fight save a bugaboo or a man of straw. We trust that Mr. Schou will return, not like the Major-General, but wiser than when he left.

A SATISFACTORY CANVASS.

Hon. Mr. Vernon Highly Pleased With His Reception and the Assurances of Support.

(From the Vernon News)

Mr. Vernon returned on Tuesday from his canvass of the southern country, and in spite of the high water he reports that all his engagements were punctually met. He has every reason to be pleased with the result of his trip, as everywhere he met with the most cordial reception and warm assurances of support. He feels more than ever confident that his majority in that part of the riding will be a large one. Mr. Vernon's committee which has been recently formed at Okanagan Mission is a large and well organized body of representative settlers, and Mr. Chas. Mair, the genial chairman, feels confident that they will secure for their candidate a handsome majority at the Mission and Kelowna.

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NORTH VICTORIA.

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kept the workingman in a state of misery, but he could not bring such methods here, setting one class against another. His countrymen were too sensible. (Applause.)

A Voice—Tell us what your brother got.

Hon. Mr. Davie—I'll tell you. He then stated the circumstances leading up to Dr. Davie's appointment as health officer two years ago and his resignation after the smallpox was stamped out, because the work interfered with his private practice. Captain Robertson had told them that all members of the government should be in the penitentiary. Well, where would that gentleman be in the meantime? If they were to wait till the opposition got in power before going to the penitentiary they never would get there. (Applause and laughter.) He gave Captain Robertson some pretty sharp raps over the knuckles and told him that men had only to make such speeches as that gentleman to condemn themselves. As to the Nakusp & Slocan, the opposition papers themselves had pressed the building of the road. Then here was a man who admitted that he had brought Chinese servants to the company, talking about the evils of Chinese. Then he told them it took 13 per cent. to get the money from the $600,000 loan to the country. Anyone knew that borrowing at 3 per cent. interest a discount had to be paid. He supposed if par had been got for 5 per cent. bonds Capt. Robertson would think that all right, though 5 per cent. bonds were worth 125. About that remark he was said to have made to Mr. Booth about going home and feeding swine—it was simply not true.

Capt. Robertson (after a pause)—I saw it in the papers.

Hon. Mr. Davie—When did you see it, can you produce it? You can't produce it, and I ask the Times reporter who is present to kindly ask the editor if there ever was such a report in that paper to produce it. (Applause.)

Capt. Robertson immediately began to back down about the story. Mr. Booth hadn't perhaps exactly called Mr. Davie a liar and he might have been mistaken about the other part.

Hon. Mr. Davie.—Oh! you take that back. Now see what a windbag the man is. (Great laughter.) He went on to score Captain Robertson and finally sat down after advising the electors, amid tremendous applause, to cast a good solid vote for the government at the elections.

Capt. Robertson mounted the platform again to talk when the Premier had finished, but nobody paid any attention to him and the meeting broke up, leaving him standing alone in the fast emptying room.

WILL LONG BE REMEMBERED.

The Flood Sufferers Loud in Their Praises of Colonel Baker and the Government.

(From the Westminster News)

Colonel Baker, provincial secretary, having finished his labors on behalf of the flood sufferers, returns to Victoria. The farmers are loud in their praises of the Colonel and the government for the prompt way in which their wants have been relieved and provision made for the future. At several places the Colonel was loudly cheered on leaving, for his urbane and gentlemanly manner in dealing with the numerous applicants for relief. Upwards of 800 farmers have been furnished with seed to replace that destroyed by the flood, and the great freshet of 1894 will long be remembered by them as an occasion when the government of the day was alive to the necessities of the hour, and without fear of misrepresentation did their duty to the people, irrespective of party, creed or nationality.

CHILLIWACK ELECTION.

The Chances Are Largely in Favor of Reeve Cawley, the Government Candidate.

(From the Vancouver World.)

The contest in Chilliwack goes quietly on, both parties working energetically and with a determination to win. The chances are largely in favor of Reeve Cawley, who has shown himself to be thoroughly alive to the wants and requirements of the district. His friends claim that his election is assured beyond the possibility of a doubt. But no stone must be left unturned to place him at the head of the poll, and by such a majority as his popularity and zeal for his constituents' interests entitle him to receive.

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NOTICE is hereby given that James Isbister of the village of Esquimalt, British Columbia, on the 16th day of February, 1894, applied under the Quieting Titles Act for a Declaration of Title to Lot Number 11, part of Suburban Lot 55, Esquimalt District, according to Map Numbered 10, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia, and he has filed a petition and produced evidence before the Honourable Mr. Justice Walkem, whereby he appears to be the legal and beneficial owner of the said land in fee simple in possession. Any person having or claiming any title or interest in the said land or any part thereof, is required on or before the 16th day of July, 1894, to file a statement of his claim, verified by affidavit, with the Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, and to serve a notice thereof on Mr. Alan S. Dumbleton, 51 Langley St., Victoria, B.C., solicitor for the petitioner, and in default of so doing, every such claim will be barred and the said James Isbister will be declared the legal and beneficial owner in fee simple in possession of the said piece or parcel of land free from all rights, interests, claims and demands whatever, except and subject to the reservations in the 23rd Section of the said Act, and therein numbered respectively (a) and (b).

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THE WISER POLICY.

The Ottawa correspondence of the Times contains a reference to the floods in the Fraser Valley, in which the Provincial Government and the Lieutenant-Governor are inferentially condemned for their action in not appealing to the Dominion Government and to the people of Eastern Canada generally, for aid.

Concerning the ability of a resident of Ottawa to judge of the necessities of the situation in British Columbia as compared with that of the Lieutenant-Governor and the members of the Government it is not difficult to decide. We make no reference to the question of good taste involved. The Times' Ottawa correspondent may rest assured that if in British Columbia and especially in Westminster district, where the facts of the case are fully known, the policy pursued by the Government in relieving the distress and providing for necessities as they arose has been approved of and no hostile criticism evoked, it is little use for him to try and influence public opinion, situated as he is 3,000 miles away.

The impression intended to be conveyed by the article in question was that, the news first received by the people of Ottawa was that the damage done by the floods was very serious; that private information confirmed the truth of the press dispatches; that the Parliament of Canada and the people of the East were prepared to contribute liberally, and only waited for more definite information as to the extent of the loss; but, that notwithstanding all these facts, telegrams from the Lieutenant-Governor and Premier Davie stated that there was "no distress" and consequently an end was put to all relief schemes; and that it was all done for political effect. The correspondent concludes:

After what Mr. Corbould had done in the house, and he had the support of the other members from the Province, this placed them in a rather awkward position. They could not question the telegram of Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney and that of Premier Davie, and still the private information in their possession did not agree with these telegrams, which were evidently both written by, or at any rate emanated from, Premier Davie. The only conclusion which the British Columbia members could arrive at was that there was a general election on in the Province, and that the calamity was in some way to be used by the Government as a means of securing a new lease of power.

It would appear that the Times correspondent at Ottawa is very much influenced by the tactics of the editor at Victoria in his methods of misrepresentation, on the principle that "evil communications corrupt good manners." Neither of the telegrams sent to Ottawa made the bald statement that there was no distress. What the Premier said in his message, was that so far as known there was no distress *beyond the capacity of the Province to deal with*—a vastly different thing to saying there was no distress. Nor did Mr. Davie inspire or have anything to do with the message sent by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, which was an individual expression of opinion, and if it happened to agree with the Premier's message it simply confirms the wisdom of the Government's action.

The Premier in his telegram further stated that it was not relief of immediate distress, with which the Province was amply able to deal without assistance, that was wanted, but co-operation on the part of the Dominion Government towards carrying out a comprehensive system of dyking and protection so as to avoid the recurrence of similar disasters in the future.

The Government conceived, and most people will agree with this view of it, that it would have been most unwise to have advertised the distress, greatly exaggerated as it was, the world over by appealing for aid, while it was in the power of the Province to amply provide for all the present wants of those who had suffered.

The greater burden of responsibility lay with the future, with bridges washed away, dykes broken, and a vast amount of debris to remove. The assistance asked of the Dominion Government was of a more permanent and substantial character, which, as the constitutional guardians of navigable waters and the owners of large tracts of public lands within the railway belt, they are justified in extending. In view of this it would have been exceedingly short-sighted to have accepted temporary relief in lieu of what is necessary towards the carrying out of a comprehensive and permanent system of protection to the Fraser Valley.

This was the view of it presented by the Premier himself at the meeting of the representatives of Boards of Trade, held at Westminster, and which was unanimously concurred in.

The people of the Province may be fairly trusted to know their own wants better than a correspondent several thousands of miles away, who, though anxious to give his paper political pointers, should confine himself to what he is qualified by knowledge and experience to discuss.

DUMB ORGANS.

The Vancouver World comments upon the fact that neither the News-Advertiser nor the Victoria Times has deemed it prudent to publish Mr. Gordon's letter addressed to the people of British Columbia. We must say that we are not surprised that those newspapers, which are both intensely partisan, refused to publish statements so damaging to the person who it seems is now generally acknowledged to be the Leader of the Opposition. Their refusal to publish it is a tacit confession that in their estimation at least no reply satisfactory to honest and fair-minded men can be made to the statements of fact contained in that letter. It also shows that they do not wish the electors of the Province to know the true nature of the man whom the Opposition in this Province have chosen as their leader. It goes without saying that if the organs of the Opposition had any reply to make to Mr. Gordon's charges—if it were possible for them to prove that those charges were without any substantial foundation—they would defend their leader as vigorously as they are able. But their refusal to publish the letter and the dead silence they maintain with regard to it is the best possible proof that Mr. Cotton's conduct in the matter is indefensible. Surely this ominus silence on the part of the organs of the Oppositiou, and this suppression of the complaint of a greatly injured man, must be looked upon by all honest men who hate deceit and who love fair play, as tantamount to an admission on their part that all Mr. Gordon has said is true and that it would be folly to attempt to explain away the facts he has adduced or to show that he is laboring under a delusion when he believes that he was the victim of deception and dishonesty. The course which the Times, the News-Advertiser and the New Westminster Columbian have pursued with regard to Mr. Gordon's letter is virtually a very emphathic condemnation of the Leader of the Opposition. Mr. F. C. Cotton.

UNDISGUISED BRIBERY.

General Kinchant has gone to Cariboo under the auspices of the Vancouver Advertiser. That paper does its very best to make the way smooth for the Major General. In fact its recommendation of the military candidate is a curiosity in its way. It is, if we do not very greatly mistake, a good deal more than a mere curiosity; it is as barefaced an attempt as was ever made to bribe a constituency. In order to see how openly the Vancouver purist goes about bribing when it is its interest to bribe, we reproduce below the News-Advertiser's offer:

From the latest reports it also appears to be probable that Major-General Kinchant will agree to be his colleague on the Opposition ticket. If this should be the case, the people of Cariboo in particular and the Opposition party generally are to be congratulated. General Kinchant would be a valuable accession to the house, and would worthily represent the pioneer mining section of the Province—old Cariboo. His election would prove of great importance to Cariboo, since his personal qualifications and standing and his connections in Great Britain would undoubtedly be of great service to the interests of the constituency. With vast resources in minerals and other natural wealth, the advertisement which a representative like General Kinchant could give the District in the Old Country, would unquestionably result *in attracting capital and settlers of the right class, two things which, with the construction of a railway—which the Opposition is pledged to do its best to achieve*—will give the progress of Cariboo such an impetus as will bring back that general and solid prosperity which its possibilities entitle it to expect. We trust, therefore, that the report that Major-General Kinchant will be a candidate is correct, and with Messrs. McLeese and Kinchant as its members in the Legislature Cariboo will be represented in the House in a manner which must redound largely to its advantage.

If the electors of Cariboo can resist this seductive offer of unlimited capital and a railway—two things of which they stand greatly in need—their political virtue must be indeed unconquerable; or they can have no faith in the glowing representations and the promises of the Opposition organ. The intention to bribe the electors of Cariboo is conspicuous in every line of the above extract. The tempter evidently knows what the district of Cariboo most requires for the development of its resources and the enrichment of its inhabitants, and he offers the bribe which is most attractive. The Advertiser no doubt pitches the key note of the Opposition canvass in Cariboo. The intention to buy the votes of the electors is quite as plain as if it proposed definitely to pay a price in dollars and cents for every vote polled for the Opposition candidates in the District of Cariboo. Those electors who feel disposed to nibble at the News-Advertiser's bait should first ask Major-General Kinchant if he is prepared to carry out the pledge which the News-Advertiser makes in his behalf.

INCORRIGIBLE.

The courage of the Columbian is almost if not quite phenomenal. It is courage of a bad sort, it is true, but one can hardly help admiring it. It was only the other day that our contemporary was convicted of the most impudent and malignant lying about a matter that was within the field of observation of its editor and his staff. It stated positively that the grain, hay and potatoes sent by the Government to the Fraser River settlers were all more or less damaged, when it could in a few minutes find out the exact quality of those articles. It declared that the supplies sent as relief were used as bribes, and that the distribution was without system. Every statement it made was absolutely false. Its untruthfulness has been exposed, and it has not had a word even in extenuation to say for itself. Does our contemporary show by any word or sign that it is ashamed of itself, and is there evidence of even greater caution in the statements regarding the Government and its supporters that it has since been making? There is not the slightest indication that the Columbian has become more truthful or even more cautious. It makes all sorts of statements as recklessly as ever it did. It seems to expect that its readers will believe all that it states about what has been done, what is going on now, and what will take place in the future, as implicitly as if it had never published a barefaced untruth or ventured an absurdly improbable prediction. It lies as boldly as ever it did and prophesies with as much assurance. It is not ashamed that it has been exposed in the past, and it has evidently no fear that it will be exposed in the future. It is perfectly reckless.

AN AMUSING RETROSPECT.

Now that the results of the Ontario elections are known it is not a little amusing to read the calculations, the assurances and the predictions that are contained in the Ontario newspapers published a week or so ago. Some of them are so ridiculously wide of the mark that many editors must feel ashamed and humiliated when they happen to glance over the back numbers of their papers. It would be a little too ill-natured to repeat some of the confident predictions, or to go over the calculations made by sanguine partisans. But the lesson to be learned from a perusal of the election news and articles in our Ontario exchanges, is the one taught by the shrewd American humorist: "Never prophesy unless you know."

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The grounds will be splendidly decorated and during the evening illuminated. Refreshments can be had on the grounds

Programmes of Sports, etc., will be published in a few days. Every lady on entering the grounds will receive a ticket for the GRAND TOMBOLA, to be drawn at the conclusion of the Sports, the prizes for which will be on exhibition in the window of T. N Hibben & Co., Government street.

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THE CITY.

A MEETING of the creditors of F. G. Moody is called for to-day.

THE Loyal Legion will meet this afternoon in Temperance hall at 4 o'clock.

PETTY offenders who had been inspired by whiskey to violate the law filled the police court dock yesterday.

THE heads of a panther and a wolf, shot at Gordon Meadows, Esquimalt, this week, were yesterday brought in to the city.

LOYAL Orange lodges Nos. 1,426 and 1610 will hold a combined degree meeting to-night in Temperance hall; about twelve members will be advanced.

THIS evening the ladies of Calvary Baptist church will hold a very interesting festival. It will include the seasonable strawberries and cream, and will besides have a musical and literary programme of rare excellence.

THE entertainment announced for this evening by the King's Daughters at Mrs. R. Finlayson's has been postponed until the evening of July 3. Those who kindly promised to contribute refreshments will please defer sending their gifts until then.

TAI YUNE is to build a big brick two story tenement in rear of his Government street store. It will have a frontage of 100 feet on Cormorant and the same on Pandora. The architect is Mr. John Teague, and building will be started at the beginning of the week.

DEATH by drowning was the verdict reached by the coroner's jury sitting yesterday upon the body of William Hurd, which was found floating in the harbor on Wednesday. No new information was elicited, and it is supposed that the deceased wandered down to the water while the worse of liquor and fell in.

MANAGER JAMIESON last evening received the following telegram from the manager of the Vancouver Opera House:

VANCOUVER, B.C., June 28.

R. Jamieson, Victoria Theatre, Victoria, B.C.

Griffiths' Faust Company gave the greatest satisfaction here; everyone more than pleased. Scenery also very good.

ARTHUR P. W. GOLDSMIDT.
Manager Vancouver Opera House.

IN St. James' hall last evening a social was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the James Bay church. Considering the unsettled and threatening weather of the evening there was a fairly good attendance, and any deficiency in numbers was more than made up for otherwise. Besides the refreshments, of strawberries, etc, the appended programme was rendered, being much enjoyed: Piano solo, Miss White; song, "The Little Hero," Mr. Jay; duet, "The Parting Hour," Mrs. Goepel and Mr. Russell; song, "Creole Love Song," Miss Arrowsmith; piano solo, Miss White; song, "Only o Melody," Mrs. Goepel; song, Mr. Jay; reading, Ven. Archdeacon Scriven; and song, Mrs. Jay.

IN the Divisional court yesterday Ledingham v. Brooks came up before Justices Crease, McCreight and Walkem. This is an appeal from a judgment of Mr. Justice Drake in a County court action for replevin. Owing to a dispute arising as to what occurred at the trial the matter was referred back to Mr. Justice Drake. Messrs. Eberts & Taylor for Ledingham; Mr. Fell for Brooks. Justices McCreight and Walkem presided at the case of Quon Wo Co. v. See Kum and Wing Yee, an application to appeal from the decision of Mr. Justice Drake refusing an application to set aside a writ of order for substituted service made *ex parte* by Mr. Justice Crease against Wing Yee, the appellant. Allowed with costs. Mr. Fell for appellant; Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken for respondent.

LITTLE Albert Chudley, a son of Mr. W. M. Chudley, was badly nurt by a dray on Wednesday evening. He had been down town on an errand, and on his way home jumped on a passing dray for a ride. In some way the child got caught in the wheel as he tried to jump off at Menzies street, and was whirled around with the result that he had his right leg badly injured. Fortunately the wheel did not pass over him or he would have fared far worse. Dr. Helmcken, who happened along at the time, took him home. The family were to have left for California the same evening, but owing to the accident did not go. This is another warning to good-natured drivers of expresses and drays not to allow boys to jump on for a ride. Every day dozens of such instances are to be recorded, and the only wonder is that more accidents do not happen. Just in this way last year a little boy had his life crushed out by a dray wheel in this city.

A GRAND scenic and electric display to-night at the Victoria theatre marks the initial appearance of Mr. John Griffith's company in this city, presenting Henry Irving's version of Goethe's "Faust." The management realizing that "Faust" is essentially spectacular has spared no expense in mounting this old play. Seven complete stage settings are the result, prominent amongst which is "Dr. Faustus' Labratory," "The Market square of Nuremburg, with its cathedral," "The Fountain Plasa," "Marguerite's garden," "The Reve on the Brocken," a future vision of Hades, and the beautiful transformation of "The Apotheosis." Electricity plays a prominent part in the production, and the principal marvels of artistic genius will be the "Electrical Duel," "The Cross on Fire," "The Illuminated Flower Bed," "The Crown of Diamonds," and many others where this mysterious fluid is employed. An unusually strong company is supporting Mr. Griffith, and it is a performance every one should see. There will be a grand family matinee to-morrow afternoon; prices, adults 50 cents; children, 25 cents; no reserved seats. Tickets for the matinee should be purchased at Jamieson's before going to the theatre, thus avoiding rush at the door. Only a sufficient number to comfortably fill the house will be sold. *

Programmes of the Caledonian games, July 4, are now out, and are the best ever issued. They are interesting to everybody.

VICTORIA lodge No. 17, K. of P., has secured incorporation under the Benevolent Societies act, the trustees being Messrs. George S. Russell, H. A. Munn and T. W. Roberts.

THE annual general meeting of the Board of Trade is to be held July 6, and in the meantime notices of new business to come up should be sent in to the Secretary as early as possible.

THE candidates supporting the government invite the electors of Victoria city to meet them at the Odd Fellows' hall, Fernwood road, this evening. The chair will be taken at 8 o'clock.

A COMMITTEE meeting of Ward 3 of the Victoria Political Organization will be held this evening in the office of Robt. Irving & Co., Broad street, at 8 o'clock sharp. All members are earnestly requested to attend.

THE steamer Islander will make two or three excursion trips to Port Angeles on July 4, leaving Victoria at 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. The people of Port Angeles will furnish a good programme of sports and games for that day.

A MEETING of the electors of South Victoria, to be addressed by the candidates, Messrs. Eberts and Carey, will be held tonight at the South Saanich agricultural hall. A train will leave the Topaz avenue station at 7:15, calling at way stations.

TENDERS for the provincial jail supplies for the year ending June 30, 1895, have been awarded to the lowest tenderers as below: Bread, McMillan Bros.; beef, John Parker; groceries, H. Saunders; clothing, Gilmore & McCandless, and coal, Rattray & Hall.

THE Council of Public Instruction has created the new school districts of Nakusp, Otter Lake, South Lillooet and Deep Creek; and have altered and redefined the boundaries of the districts of Enderby, Spallumcheen, Haney and Maple Ridge.

MR. J. A. LAWRENCE yesterday purchased the well known Jones property at the corner of Fort and Quadra streets, paying therefor about $8,000. Since returning from England a few months ago, Mr. Lawrence has invested upwards of $40,000 in Victoria city property.

CONSIDERABLE comment has been caused among the French residents by the non-appearance of the flag of thee Rpublic at half-mast over the consulate since the news was received of President Carnot's assassination. The explanation given is that Mr. Snowden, the consul, is out of the city.

A PRIZE of some value was yesterday captured at Cadboro Bay by the customs officers, and is now temporarily "shelved" in the harbor. It is a small sloop of about 25 feet in length, loaded with the best strawberries Orcas Island can produce, which were being smuggled in for sale here. The owner of the craft is a Norwegian, who was in charge of the vessel when seized, and who when questioned as to his objects in going into Cadboro Bay acknowledged his attempt. The sloop is decked over, and is a very neat little vessel.

MR. A W. VOWELL, superintendent of Indian affairs, who returned from an official visit to the upper country on Wednesday evening, reports the Indians in the flooded districts as being in much better circumstances than they were a few weeks ago. As many of them who follow agricultural pursuits as are desirous of obtaining relief from the government for losses sustained by the flood have been given seed, but others prefer waiting until spring before accepting assistance of this kind, owing to means, such as fishing, now arising by which they can earn a livelihood. To some, however, the loss cannot well be made up. These have lost orchards which it will take years to replace. There are now about 3,000 Indians at the Mission, where the annual religious ceremonies conducted by the Roman Catholic church, are at present in progress.

WESTMINSTER PENITENTIARY.

Continuation of the Investigation—Deputy Warden Denies Every Charge and Contradicts Judge McCreight's Testimony.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 28.—(Special)—The Royal Commission on penitentiary affairs was continued to-day. Instructor Miller testified that 4,000 flour sacks had been taken away by order of the Deputy Warden. The only other witness was Deputy Warden Fitzsimmons, who denied every charge preferred against him, but admitted many irregularities. He contradicted Judge McCreight's statement regarding the keep of the latter's horse, claiming that the Judge did not pay for the horse's keep, but gave him the money to be spent on charity.

The auction sale of Mount Tolmie property has demonstrated that there is still a little money to be invested in Victoria real estate, especially when they see it is going cheap. The sale yesterday by H Cuthbert & Co. was as successful as could be expected, although the vendors have not realized as much money as they want. The sale will be continued on Friday next, at the same time and place. *

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Yale Defeats Harvard With the Greatest Ease—Perkins and Staver Here.

The "Stars" to Play at Vancouver, and the Baseball Nine at Tacoma.

NEW LONDON, Conn., June 28.—Yale won the 'Varsity race to-night, defeating Harvard by over seventeen lengths. The start was made at 6:42. The conditions were very favorable, although a fresh breeze came up with the boats between the mile and 2½ mile flags. The official time by half miles is as follows:

Distance.	*Yale.*	*Harvard*
½ mile	2:53½	2:58½
1 mile	5:50	6:07
1½ mile	8:53	9:12
2 miles	11:47	12:20
2½ miles	14:51	15:31
3 miles	17:47	18:37
3½ miles	20:56	21:42
4 miles	23:47	24:49

At the start both crews rowed a 40 stroke, Yale dropping to 36 and Harvard to 37, when under way. This lasted a mile and a half. Then Yale fell to 35 and Harvard to 36. In the last mile Yale dropped the stroke to 32 and Harvard to 34. Harvard's coxswain steered poorly and collided with the three mile post. Yale finished fresh. All but numbers five, six and seven of Harvard's boat collapsed at the end of the race.

THE WHEEL.

PORTLAND'S FLYER HERE.

C. L. Perkins and John F. Staver, of Portland, the former of whom is considered about the speediest man on the Coast, arrived here from the Sound yesterday, and were last evening the guests of the Victoria wheelmen at an informal club social. They went over to Vancouver this morning, and will be in the province for a week or more. On Saturday they will make their appearance at Nanaimo, where Perkins and Deeming will come together for the first time, and on Monday will ride the Dominion Day races at Vancouver. Perkins has not, he says, been on the track this season but he will "do his solid best." Staver will also give his rivals work to do.

LACROSSE.

NANAIMOS PRACTISING HARD.

The Nanaimos are practising regularly for Saturday's lacrosse match with the James Bays. They are hopeful of scoring their maiden victory on this occasion.

TO VISIT VANCOUVER.

All members of the Star Lacrosse Club are requested to turn out for full practice this evening, when a team to play on Dominion Day in Vancouver will be selected. A general meeting will be held afterwards.

CRICKET.

VICTORIA C. C. V. ALBIONS.

A match will be played on Monday next between an eleven of the Victoria C.C. and the Albion C.C.

ALBIONS V. ISLANDERS.

The following players will represent the Albion C.C. in their match with the Islanders C.C. on Saturday: Worden (captain), Anderson, Schwengers, Thomas, Green, H. Martin, Janion, Muir, Hewitt, Frost and W. T. Williams. Reserve, Henry and Stroud.

BASEBALL.

JAMES BAYS V. V. A. C.'S.

A game will be played at the Caledonia grounds on Dominion Day between the James Bay and V. A. C. baseball clubs. The contest will be one of a series to determine the city championship. The James Bay team will be composed of the following: Burnes, Duck, George Gowen, Gus Gowen, Gold, Scott, Williams, Schultz, Franklyn and Smith.

WILL VISIT TACOMA.

The Victoria baseballers have accepted the invitation of Tacoma for a game there with the Vivendis on the 4th of July. The Tacoma team will be the same that met the Stanfords.

SPRINTING.

M'GREGOR IS CHAMPION.

Harry McGregor has made his mark in Portland, having run 102 yards in 12 2 5 seconds, which entitles him to the championship of the Northwest in 100 yards dash. The record was made at the Multnomah Athletic Club sports. It will be remembered that Harry McGregor was a member of the Vancouver Lacrosse Club up to a year ago.

HERE AND THERE.

Saturday will be a lively day from the sportsman's point of view at Nanaimo. At Wellington the annual Dominion Day celebration will be observed. On that occasion and in town the Caledonian society hold their annual picnic. Sports of every description will be in order at both places, the Wellington programme being a particularly strong one, with exceedingly liberal cash prizes for the successful competitors.

The unwelcome rain necessitated a postponement of the Victoria College v. Victoria C. C. match arranged for yesterday afternoon, and also of the club bicycle races, which latter will be held next Thursday.

The programmes for the Caledonia picnic games are to be had free at the bookstores.

An executive meeting of the Victoria Canoe Club is called for Tuesday afternoon.

THE social and dance of No. 1 company, B C E.G.A., arranged for last evening, has been postponed until the evening of Thursday, July 5.

THE annual reunion of the choir of the First Presbyterian church will be held this evening at the residence of the leader, Mr. J. G. Brown.

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JUBILEE HOSPITAL DIRECTORS

Prepare For the Annual Meeting to Be Held This Afternoon.

The old board of Jubilee hospital directors held their last business meeting yesterday evening to prepare for the annual meeting of subscribers to-day, when the election of a new directorate under the provisions of the act passed by the legislature will take place.

The chairman Mr. Charles Hayward presided, the others present being Messrs. J. S. Yates, G. H. Brown, I. Braverman, Joshua Davies, H. Dallas Helmcken, A Wilson, Thomas Shotbolt, George Byrnes, F. B. Gregory and the secretary, Mr. H. M. Yates.

A communication from the Provincial Secretary stating that the new amendment to the Jubilee hospital act came into force on June 20, was filed; the committee of the month reported on various minor matters; and the pay sheets to end of June, $554 95, and $437.50 interest to same date on the mortgage, were authorized paid.

The offer of Hon. J. S. Helmcken to deliver a lecture at the hospital on some future date was accepted with thanks. The rest of the time was taken up discussing the annual reports to be presented to-day, and a vote of thanks was passed to Messrs. Yates & Jay for their kindness in allowing the use of their rooms for directors' meetings during the past year.

The annual meeting of subscribers is to be held to-day at 2 o'clock at the city hall, when under the provisions of the act four members of the new board of directors will be elected. Of the balance of the directorate of fifteen members provided for in the act, three are to be appointed by the Lieut.-Governor-in Council, five by the city council, and three by the French Benevolent Society.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The steamer Harry Lynn brought in 77 head of sheep, 36 bales of hay, 10 cases of eggs, 3 crates of chickens, 27 crates of strawberries, 2 boxes of gooseberries, 1 box of butter and 217 sacks of potatoes from Roche Harbor yesterday morning.

The Dominion steamer Quadra is at present lying in Pedder bay, the crew being employed effecting sundry improvements and alterations at the Race Rocks light station.

Seven hundred and fifty-one head of sheep arrived on the steamer Rosalie from the Sound yesterday.

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" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " "
" Garland..... " Port Angeles.
" Active..... " Nanaimo.
" Harry Lynn..... " Roche Harbor.
" Daisy..... " Nanaimo.
Schr. Champion..... " Sooke.

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" Garland..... " Port Angeles.
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The Northern Pacific railroad is now open for through trains to St. Paul and all points East. First through train since the floods will start East to-day.

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THE LICENSING BOARD

Disposes of the Business for the Quarter—The Fourth of July Picnic.

Mr. Hall Urges the Cancellation of Numerous Licenses for Due Cause.

Mayor Teague, Police Magistrate Macrae and Dr. I. W. Powell, J.P., sat yesterday as a board of licensing commissioners for the city, to hear and determine the various applications for the quarter. Chief Sheppard was present but took no part in the proceedings; Mr. H. D. Helmcken appeared in behalf of Mr. William Jensen (who asked for a retailer's license for the basement of the Board of Trade building); and Mr. H. G. Hall and Dr. Lewis Hall watched matters for the W.C.T.U. and other temperance organizations of the city. The audience was limited to one interested spec ator.

Mr. Jensen's application was refused, the merits of the case not being gone into, as it was found that the petition was not sufficiently signed to meet the requirements of the license law.

On the application of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society for a temporary permit to sell liquor in connection with their annual games on the 4th of July,

Mr. H. G. Hall objected. He held that there was no necessity for the sale of liquor at a picnic such as it was proposed to hold, and referred to disgraceful scenes which he said he had witnessed in former years owing to the licensed sale of liquor at the Caledonian society's picnics.

Dr. Lewis Hall also opposed the application upon similar grounds.

Mr. Helmcken, as a member of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society and of their committee, denied having seen or had any knowledge of such disgraceful proceedings as the Messrs. Hall had described. Their remarks, he commented, were in connection with celebrations of years ago, and he thought the board would agree with him that the Scotsmen were quite capable of exercising due care and discretion in the sale of liquor, the license being given them as in the past.

The court decided to grant the application, the Mayor remarking,

"It is the special wish of the commissioners that great care be taken in the sale of liquors at this picnic, which we here permit. I hope that the bartenders will be instructed specifically and particularly not to supply any drink to a drunken man or to a minor. It would be a grave annoyance and disgrace for men to be seen drunk and misconducting themselves at the society's games, particularly in the presence of the women and children who will no doubt be there."

"And for the credit of the city," added the Police Magistrate, "as well as for Mr. Helmcken's conscience, we sincerely hope that the right will not be abused."

Before the board adjourned Mr. H. G. Hall asked permission to direct attention to the fact that more than one license holder had lately been found guilty of offences against the law in their licensed premises, which he (Mr. Hall) held should justify the cancellation of their licenses. The offences against the law had been many and flagrant. Convictions had been recorded in the police court—the conviction of D. Fee for selling to an Indian might be mentioned. There could be no dispute as to the facts; they were a matter of record. He referred to the Fee case in particular because the house in question had for years borne an unenviable reputation. The licensed premises were in a residential part of the city, which would be far better without a place for the sale of liquor. Not alone had Mr. Fee rendered himself liable to have his license cancelled for cause, but so had others who had been convicted of other offences—gambling, etc. There had been one or two flagrant cases both in the police court and in the county court, in which there could be no disputing the proof produced. As to the Bee Hive matter he would of course say nothing, it not yet having run its course in the courts. He would, however, like to know if the court intended to take any action in respect to the licenses held by those others who had offended against the law.

The Mayor—The matter you have referred to, Mr. Hall, is one upon which the board has not yet reached a decision; we have had it under consideration for some time. Several parties have been brought before us and clearly warned against a repetition of their offences, and if these are repeated the board will assuredly keep its promise. We will have to wait and see if the warning has been effectual.

Mr. Hall—It is getting almost past the time for waiting. Violations of the law in licensed premises are reported in this city on every hand.

The Mayor—Very well. We are prepared to act, but we must have proofs before us—something more than broad assertions of wrong-doing.

Mr. Hall—In the cases I refer to, the proof is upon the records of the city police court.

The matter here rested, and the court was formally adjourned.

THE COPPER WIRE TRANSACTION.

To the Editor:—More about the "good buy for the city." In view of the fact that there is a little newspaper controversy going on between the aldermen and others containing covert insinuations and inuendoes regarding the way in which the city electric light job is being carried on, we would like to ask how it is that a contract for twelve miles of copper wire was given without calling for tenders?

We noticed a short time ago the fact was duly chronicled in the newspapers that the city had made a good buy in securing the wire at between $102 and $103 per mile, and comparing this with the price paid on a former occasion (some five years ago, when everything was booming). Now we do not see where the boasted good buy comes in (except it is for the seller, or it was meant as a *good bye* to the taxpayers' dollars), as we are prepared to furnish the best weather-proof wire (that which took all the prizes at the late World's Fair) at $85 85 per mile, while the city is to pay between $102 and $103 per mile. The electric light committee could thus have saved the city the sum of $200 on this small item alone—aggregating about $1,000. If all the purchases to be made are proportionately high we can quite understand that the sum voted by the ratepayers will not be sufficient to meet all requirements, as some of the aldermen are already beginning to foresee.

Spratt & Gray,
Victoria Machinery Depot.
Victoria, June 28, 1894

Sheffield Cutlery Store.
Pocket knives, table cutlery, shears and razors in great variety at Fox's, 78 Government street.

IN THE CLOUDBURST.

Exciting Experiences in Crossing the Continent—Breathless, Awful Moments—A Hairbreadth Escape.

(From the Montreal Witness.)

Sir Henry Gore Booth has reached Montreal after an exciting experience on the C. P. R. from Vancouver. He rather liked it all, but the cloudburst and the broken bridges, which they came perilously near falling into, were perhaps a little trying on the nerves.

Sir Henry is the bearer to Sir William Van Horne of a vote of thanks, passed unanimously by the passengers of the train, appreciative of the courtesy and resource of the C.P.R. officials, from the highest to the lowest, along the route.

It was on June 2 that Sir Henry started to come to Montreal. He only reached the commercial metropolis last night. To be sure, he took the boat from Winnipeg, and had a look at Niagara Falls, but from Vancouver to Calgary was a journey to remember. The first thing was the cloudburst. The train passed through it. There was a breathless, awful moment, and then—safety.

But one had not well recovered from this terror till another one stalked before them. A little out of Ashcroft the bridge had been broken down. The train was thundering on. The engine neared the creek. A minute and all would have been precipitated to a depth of seventy feet. But the engineer, who was a capable fellow, received warning in time; the engine was stopped; and all was well. But the passengers had to go back to Ashcroft and remain till Thursday morning.

The next move was to Kamloops. Here the track was flooded. A pilot engine was sent in advance, but disappearing within the flood, the engineer was within an ace of losing his life. Here there was another stop till Tuesday morning. The passengers were provided for by the company, whose officials showed a fertility of resource which excited Sir Henry's admiration. There is a readiness in this country which Sir Henry missed in Ireland, which is his home. Observe the heifer grazing peacefully on the pasture. Think what it means to have that heifer on your plate before you can say 'Jack Robinson.' This was what happened, and Sir Henry thinks this is a great country. There was a bridge down at Revelstoke and another at Kicking Horse Pass, and all were glad when Calgary was reached.

Look out for Prize Books at Hibben & Co.'s.

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"THE QUEEN OF TABLE WATERS."

"*AN ESPECIAL BOON IN PLACES WHERE WE CANNOT BE SURE OF THE PURITY OF THE DRINKING WATER.*"
German Hospital, London.

COAL NOTICE.

The firm of Hall, Goepel & Co., having discontinued their Coal Business all parties indebted to the said firm for Coal will oblige by prompt settlement. je26-1w

Notice of Sale by Sheriff.

PURSUANT TO "EXECUTION AGAINST LANDS ACT, 1874"

In the County Court of Victoria, holden at Victoria

The Sayward Mill & Timber Co., Limited, Plaintiffs, and Fullerton & McDonald, Defendants.

IN obedience to a Warrant of Execution issued out of the County Court of Victoria, holden at Victoria, on the 9th day of May, 1894, and to me directed in the above-named suit, for the sum of $277.87, and interest thereon at four per centum per annum from the 16th day of April, 1894; also in obedience to a Warrant of Execution issued out of the County Court of Victoria, holden at Victoria, dated the 9th day of May, 1894, and to me directed in the suit of Lemon, Gonnason & Co., for the sum of $376.00, to levy of the lands of John Suttie Fullerton and Robert Duncan McDonald, and interest thereon at four per centum per annum from the 16th day of April, 1894, besides Sheriff's poundage, fees and other expenses of the execution, I have seized and will sell at public auction in front of my office, Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria, on Thursday, the 5th day of July, 1894, at 12 o'clock noon, the lands belonging to the said John Suttie Fullerton and Robert Duncan McDonald, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the said judgments and costs.

Dis't.	No. of Lot.	Concise Description of Property.	Estate or Interest.
Victoria.	Lot One Block I., part of Section V. (Map 282).	Corner Gorge Road and Dunedin St. On the premises a 2 story frame dwelling.	Fee simple. Title registered in name of Robert McDonald.

When to be Sold.	Where to be Sold.
Thursday, July 5th, 1894.	At the Sheriff's Office, Court House, Bastion St., Victoria.

Judgments herein were registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, against the said lands the 14th day of April, 1894, and the 16th day of April, 1894.

J. E. McMILLAN,
Sheriff County of Victoria.
Victoria, B.C., June 21th, 1894.

Land Registry Office, Victoria,
25th day of June, 1894, 3.25 o'clock p.m.

I hereby certify that the following are the only charges registered, or applied for, against Lot 1, Block I., of part of Section V. (Map 282), Victoria City, the title to which is registered in the name of Robert McDonald, viz:—

20th March, 1893—Robert Duncan McDonald, (otherwise Robert McDonald) to Jane Sophia Bales, mortgage in fee to secure payment of $700.00 on the 20th March, 1894, and interest at the rate of nine per cent. per annum. (Registered in C.B., vol. 11, fol. 369, No. 14,507B.)

20th December, 1893—Robert Duncan McDonald (otherwise Robert McDonald) to Jane Sophia Bales, mortgage to secure payment of $300.00 on 20th March, 1894, and interest at the rate of nine per cent per annum. (Registered in C.B., vol. 12, fol. 593, No. 15 707B.)

And I further certify that the following judgments appear registered against all the real estate of Robert Duncan McDonald viz.:—

Judgment of the County Court of Victoria, dated 14th April, 1894, obtained by the Sayward Mill and Timber Company, Limited, against Robert Duncan McDonald and other, for $254.77 debt, and $23 10 costs. (Registered 16th April, 1894, at 11 o'clock a.m., No. 271.)

Judgment of the County Court of Victoria, dated 14th April, 1894, obtained by Lemon, Gonnason & Co (of the Capital Planing Mills, Victoria), against Robert Duncan McDonald and another, for $351.90 debt, and $23.10 costs. (Registered 16th April, 1894, at 11 o'clock a.m., No. 272.)

[L.S.] S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.

KASLO

Kootenay Lake, B.C.

Is the centre for the Silver-Lead Mining Industry of the famous Slocan Region, which is now sending $75,000 worth of Ore to Kaslo per week for shipment to the American smelters.

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Thousands of men will be employed in these mines. The natural base of supplies is Kaslo, which is admirably adapted for the purpose, being a beautiful townsite, situated on a bay possessing excellent shipping advantages.

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Kaslo offers to investors a most promising field. The opening up of the mines tributary to it must build up Kaslo. The development of these mines is now in progress. Many others will be worked as soon as easily accessible. An investment in a Kaslo lot and in improving the same will bring good results.

The Kaslo-Kootenay Land Co. control the original townsite. They are offering all property at reasonable prices and upon easy terms of payment. All inquiries for particulars will be promptly and fully answered.

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STEAMERS AND SHIPS

C.P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 22

Takes effect November 1st, 1893.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st and 15th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, Oct. 31st, 1893.

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THROUGH TRAINS SEMI-WEEKLY.

Daily, except Sunday, between Spokane and Marcus.

7:00 a.m. Lv...SPOKANE...Ar. 5:30 p.m.

On Wednesdays and Saturdays trains will run through to Nelson, arriving at 5:40 p.m., making close connection with the steamer Nelson for Kaslo and all lake points, arriving at Kaslo at 9:00 p.m. same days. Returning passengers will leave lake points and Nelson on Tuesdays and Fridays, arriving at Spokane same days.

Commencing May 2nd, passengers for Trail Creek, Nakusp, New Denver, Revelstoke and all points on the Canadian Pacific Railway, will leave Spokane on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 7 a.m., connecting at Northport with steamer (same day) at 1 p.m.

Passengers by steamer from above points arrive in Spokane same evening.

Passengers for Kettle River and Boundary Creek connect at Marcus with stage on Mondays and Tuesdays. jal

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date we, the undersigned, intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described lands, for the purpose of quarrying stone, commencing at the southeast quarter of lot 49, Renfrew District, thence north 20 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 40 chains to shore line, thence following shore line to point of commencement.

May 30, 1891.

JOHN IRVING.
R. P. RITHET.
J. CLARK.

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LARDEAU

NORTHEAST ARM UPPER ARROW LAKE.

The Townsite Company have entered into a contract to build a wharf to deep water at lowest stage, at the foot of Victoria avenue. This will cost about $4000.

The C.P.R. Telegraph Company's line is built from Revelstoke to Nelson, Nakusp and Kaslo via LARDEAU CITY, and the office for the Lardeau and Fish Creek Districts is situated at LARDEAU CITY.

A Mining Recorder is stationed at LARDEAU—a convenience for the prospectors of this region. Many rich strikes have recently been made on Fish Creek, a few miles from LARDEAU. A steamer calls three times a week at LARDEAU.

The charter for the Lardeau & Kootenay Railroad has its commencement at LARDEAU CITY. This line will undoubtedly be built in the near future, as it is the only route to the famous Lardeau Mines on Trout Lake and the shortest and easiest pass to Kootenay Lake.

Prospectors and capitalists visiting the Lardeau Country will find the best Hotel Accommodation in West Kootenay at LARDEAU CITY. It is the entrance point to the Lardeau, Fish Creek and Duncan River Mines, and will save time, labor and money to prospectors who desire to visit these sections.

LARDEAU CITY has much in its favor. It is affected by the prevailing dullness at present, but its situation is such that it must become an important trading point, and grow into a considerable town.

Investors in West Kootenay should seek particulars about LARDEAU and the District tributary to it. Any information will be furnished upon application to the undersigned.

ROBT. IRVING, TRUSTEE,
VICTORIA. B.C

RAILWAYS.

GRAND EXCURSION

—TO—

SPOKANE

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GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

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From Victoria to Spokane and return. Tickets on sale July 2nd, good to return July 6th. The Great Northern Railway is the official route for the Washington delegation. Delegates and their friends will leave Victoria morning of July 2nd at 9 a.m., arrive at Seattle at 4 p.m., leave Seattle 10.30 p.m. by special train, and a pleasant time is assured everyone.

For tickets apply Great Northern Railway office, Adelphi Block, Government street.

C. A. RATTRAY,
General Agent.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 20,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, Apr 27th 1894. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

NORTH BOUND (Read Down.) No. 2 Pass'r. Daily	No. 4 Pass'r. Fr. Sa. Su.	STATIONS.	Mls.	SOUTH BOUND (Read Up) No. 1 Pass'r. Daily	No. 3 Pass'r. Fr. Sa. Su.
A.M.	P.M.			P.M.	P.M.
De. 8.00	De. 3.00	Victoria	78	Ar. 12.20	Ar. 8.00
" 8.04	" 3.04	Russell's	71	" 12.24	" 7.56
" 8.18	" 3.18	Esquimalt	67	" 12.10	" 7.48
" 8.30	" 3.30	Goldstream	58	" 11.45	" 7.28
" 8.44	" 3.44	Summit Siding	50	" 11.10	" 6.59
" 9.14	" 4.05	Shawnigan Lake	47	" 10.50	" 6.37
" 9.34	" 4.27	Cobble Hill	43	" 10.27	" 6.15
" 9.57	" 4.49	Koksilah	40	" 10.40	" 6.27
" 10.07	" 4.59	McPherson's	38	" 10.17	" 6.05
" 10.12	" 5.04	Duncan's	35	" 10.12	" 6.00
" 10.22	" 5.12	Somenos	32	" 10.02	" 5.55
" 10.48	" 5.32	Cheemainus	26	" 9.36	" 5.29
" 11.05	" 5.49	Oyster Bay Siding	19	" 9.20	" 5.15
Ar. 11.50		Nanaimo	5	Lv. 8.35	" 4.42
De. 11.50		Nanaimo		Ar. 8.25	De. 4.30
Ar. 12.14	Ar. 6.31	Wellington	78	De. 8.10	P.M.
P.M.	P.M.		Mls.	A.M.	

On Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter, good for return not later than Sunday.

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11.45 pm	38	. Port Townsend .	72	1.30 pm
3.00 am	92	..... Seattle.....	28	10.15 am
4.45 am	110	Ar.*...Tacoma.....Lv	M1	8.00 am

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THE BOYS' TURN

Comes With the Third Day of the Closing Exercises in the Schools.

James Bay Ward Presents a Somewhat Novel and Pleasing Programme.

Notwithstanding the fact that the various schools have been giving their closing exercises during the entire week, the attendance increases with each day. Yesterday morning the James Bay school held their final examinations and suspended work for the holidays. It was concluded that the old schoolhouse would not be large enough to hold those who would attend the ceremonies, so the South Park building was used instead. Very fresh and capable looked the boys and girls as they filed into their places, eager to hear who had passed and to sympathise with those who had failed. The results for the year show very good all-round work on the part of both teachers and pupils and a well-earned vacation can be enjoyed by all. The programme of exercises was as follows:

PROGRAMME.

Song—"Merrily We Roll Along."
Recitation—.....Katie Bartlett
Song—"Little Indians."
Recitation—.....Dottie Dunn
Song—"Morning Song."
Wand Drill.
Song—"Home, Sweet Home."
Recitation—.....Herbert Pendray
Song—"Britannia's the Pride of the Ocean."
Recitation—.....Maud Stock
Song—"The Maple Leaf."
Recitation—.....Mary Tait
Song—"The Frog's Wooing."
Recitation—.....Edith Wood
Recitation—.....Elsie Given
Song—"The Last Days of School."
Club Swinging.

At the conclusion of this programme the lists of promotions were read and the prizes awarded to the lucky competitors. Trustees Lovell and Glover made a few remarks on the work of the year, and complimented the school on the very excellent showing made. They hoped that there would be no abating of the efforts on the part of the pupils, and they knew there would be none on the part of the teachers. Ven. Archdeacon Scriven and Messrs. Wolfenden and Pendray followed with short addresses.

The special prize annually presented by the Minister of Education for competition among the ward schools was captured this year by Miss Alice Cronk, of this school, who made a record of 620 marks out of a possible 700. She was closely followed by Master J. A. Richards, about 8 years old, and who has only been two terms in the school.

The entire programme was promptly and cleverly executed, the club-swinging especially calling out a vigorous encore. Inspector Burns acted as chairman of the meeting. The teachers of the school desire to express their sincere thanks to the various friends who thoughtfully sent prizes and so many beautiful bouquets of flowers.

FIRST DIVISION—TEACHER, MR. TAIT.

Promoted from Junior Third to Senior Third—Alice Cronk, Joseph A. Richards, Florence Jackson, Herbert Pendray, Mary Tait, Orville Wilmer, Reta Shears, willie Woolcock, David Kipling and Katie Bartlett.

Prize List—General proficency, Alice Cronk; deportment, Robert Dunn; punctuality, Alice Bahr; writing, Bertha Cooley; neatness, Alice Cronk; improvement in writing, Mary Tait; general improvement, J. A. Richards; drawing, Reta Shears; application, (1) David Kipling; application, (2) Willie Woolcock; regularity, (1) Orville Wilmer; and regularity, (2) Katie Bartlett.

SECOND DIVISION—TEACHER, MISS C. C. CHRISTIE.

To First Division—Dickson McConnell, Willie Mulcahy, Alice Donaldson, Nellie Jackson, Lizzie Jones, Willie Fraser, Andrew Mulcahy, Maggie Campbell, Willie Ross, Jessie Fairfield, Willie Kinsly, Rosie Prescott, Isabel Wilkins, Nannie Lowe, Johnnie Norman, Mamie Campbell, Willie Locke, Langdon James and Gerald Simon.

From Second Primer to Second Reader—Elsie Giffin, Chrissie Murray, Lillie Jackson, Alfred Redfern, Ernest Tait, Edward Cridge, Annie Lorimer, Willie Perrin, Archie Clegg, Ada Spencer, Harry Monck, Janet Adams, Pearl Davis and Tom Peden.

Rolls of Honor—Deportment, Jessie Fairfield; punctuality and regularity, Langdon James; and proficiency, Samuel Dickson McConnell.

Prize List—First girl in proficiency, Alice Donaldson; first boy in proficiency, William Mulcahy; spelling, Isabel Wilkins; neatest set of books, Nellie Jackson; general proficiency, Lizzie Jones; geography, Ernest Tait; first in second class, Elsie Giffin; and spelling, Alfred Redfern. Prizes kindly presented by Mrs. Simon and Mrs. Jones.

THIRD DIVISION—TEACHER, MISS IDA M. CARMICHAEL.

To Second Division—Jack Newby, Charles Alder, Jessie McLean, Herman Roskamp, Wm. M. Cullin, Clement Finlaison, Marguerite Meyer, Frank Fox, John Thompson, Marion Thomson, Rosehannah Goodwin, Muriel Morry, Victor Ireland, James Temple and Ellen Lambeth.

From Second Class to First Class—Victor Gillespie, Dan Miller, Mary Melrose, Ethel Stocks, Mary Kelly, Maggie Sinclair, Sanford Wolfe, Wm. Bartlett, Jane Donaldson, Charles Ross, Lizzie Locke, Marie Bloor, Alfred Pearson, Henry Stewart, George Fox, Cora Holm, Fred Cullin and Joseph Lawry.

From Chart to Second Class—Alex. Franklin, Janet Peden, Charlotte Kelly, Jas Cougill, Jas. Locke, Geo. Atkinson, Fanny McCoskrie, Fraser Stamford, Bertie Matthews, Joseph Devlin, Owen Mulcahy, Geo. Duncan, Winnie McHury and Frank Lang.

Rolls of Honor—Proficiency, Jack Newby; deportment, J Peden, and regularity, E. Stocks.

Prize List—First in second class, V. Gillespie, D. Miller; and greatest improvement, A. Pearson.

BOYS' CENTRAL SCHOOL.

Closes a Term Replete With Good Results All Round.

In the afternoon the boys of the Central school had their turn, also in the South Park building. Here again a very satisfactory showing had resulted from the term's work. Twenty-three pupils passed up to the High school and their certificates were handed to them by Inspector Burns, who was of the opinion that the boys had no reason to complain of the showing they had made.

The programme was an entirely musical one, and the various numbers were rendered in a manner that called out hearty applause from the spectators. The order of the exercises was as follows:

National Anthem.
Song—"Come, Come, Come".....By girls of the Branch school.
Song—"Soft Music is Stealing."
Song—"Fire Brigade,".....By the boys.
Song—"Blue Bells of Scotland."
Song—"Oh! the Sports of Childhood,"
Song—"Down Where the Blue Bells Grow."
National Anthem.

Inspector Burns made a brief review of the work of the year. He said that 443 pupils had attended the Central school and 166 the Branch school. He wished to impress on the boys that this is the time to do their work, and if it is neglected now the time will soon come when they cannot have the chance, no matter how much they may desire it. Rev. Dr. Campbell hoped to soon see the time when there would be not only a High school but a Normal school, and in the near future even a University in the Province. It was to be hoped that with such good advantages in the lower branches it would be possible to remain at home and still secure the additional training of the higher schools. Trustee Lovell was shocked to hear that the girls had captured the medal for the year, but hoped that the boys would not give up but try harder than ever next year. Rev. J. B. Haslam advised the boys to strive for a sound mind in a sound body, and aim to excel in their games as [in their lessons. Trustee Marchant had something to say about manly boys. He did not think it was a mark of manhood to use tobacco, to swear or to gamble, and he hoped that none of the boys present would do any of these things. Rev. Solomon Cleaver had heard of a scientist who had said that the girls were not capable of higher education. Well, if that man was here during the week he would have changed his mind. The girls were quite capable of holding their own with the boys, as the records show. Rev. D. MacRae and Messrs Cameron and McEwen each made a short speech, congratulating the school on the excellent record of the year. The promotion and prize lists are as follows:

FIRST DIVISION—PRINCIPAL, MR. S. B. NETHERBY.

Promoted to the High School—Joseph Blumenthal, Frederick Egerton Ewart, Nils Herman Ohlson, Edward Jukes Marshall, George Russell Sheppard, Wilson Joseph Charles Armstrong, Melville Luke Jewell, Reginald Hayward, Francis William Stevenson, Arthur Stanley Burgess, Archibald Pearce, Frank Mcgregor Fraser, Arthur B. Netherby, Harry Whidden Welsh, Lamont Athelstan Thompson, George Thomas Warren, John Stanley Cameron and John Claude Burkholder.

Roll of Honor—Deportment, Frank Fraser; General Proficiency Joseph Blumenthal; and Regularity and Punctuality. Alex. Thompson.

Prize Winner—First in Grammar, Fred Ewart.

SECOND DIVISION—TEACHER, MR. E. F. DORAN.

To First Division—Ernest E. Cleaver, Charles McLean, Victor B. Pollard, Neol W. Barker, Claude Wales, Walter Milby, George Dickinson, William Coates, Ernest Lane, Hugh McMillan, Edward Gray and Alexander Donaldson.

Rolls of Honor—Proficiency, Ernest E. Cleaver; Deportment, Victor B. Pollard; Regularity and Punctuality, Herbert H. Hall.

Prize List—Ernest Cleaver, Proficiency; Charles McLean, Arithmetic.

THIRD DIVISION—TEACHER, MR. E. H. RUSSELL.

To Second Division—Blake Nason, Sterling Raynor, Thomas Furnival, Engof Jackson, Charles Marshall, Charles Taylor, Guy Baynes, Harry Neelands, William Appleby, John Daniel Carmody, James Irwin, Guy Townsley, Gordon Grant, William Corder, Charles Leighton, Frank Skitch, Roy Dier, Herbert Hobbis, Frank Waring, Charles Gaerdes, Julien Robertson, Cecil Dexter, John Irwin, Charles Kennedy, Harold Lukes, James Lorrimer, Harry Pike, Harry Dier, Edgar McMicking, George Andrews, George Dawson, Harry Redfern, Michael Phillips, Henry Ware, John Lory, Andrew Hogg, Kenneth Hughes, Archie McQuarrie, William Stamford, Frederick McKittrick, Thomas Mills, Harry Reid, Horace Mansell, Arthur Fowler, Charles Netherby, Albert Long, Manuel Schnoter, James Robinson, John Ross, Thomas Mitchell, Herbert Jesse, Orlando Vaughan, Ernest Steele, Nathaniel McDowell, Frank Merryfield and Percy Snider.

Rolls of Honor—Deportment, Donald Mackay; punctuality and regularity, Guy Bayne (having been present every day for two terms); and proficiency, Blake Nason.

FOURTH DIVISION—TEACHER MISS E. E SYLVESTER; MONITOR MISS E J. KING.

To Third Division—William Lionel Nicholle, Percy Edwin Nicholle, Ambrose Allison, Leonard Leigh, John Francis Dawson, William Sewell Nason, Francis Moore, Frederick McGraw, Frederick Rendell, George Kelly, Gerald Power, Andrew Goodman, Charles Wilson, Harry Balcam, Frederick Smith, Victor Spencer, Marriott Stillwell, George Stairs Brown, James Coates, Samuel Sherburn, Frederick Whillet, William Horace Halpenny, Herbert Haynes, William Baker, Roland Percival Davis, Charles Goodwin, William Crockford, Clinton Cameron, Ernest McDonald, Gordon Hall, George Heaney, Hebor Dicks, Mark Bayshaw, Alfred Joseph Bull, James Colbert, Frederick Gordon, Norman Law, Howard Smith, Herbert Cox, Joseph E. Pettingell, Russell Muirhead Burns, Francis James Ferguson, Percival Curry, Albert James Gray, Francis Coley, Thomas Brooker, Charles Keown, Ralph Bagshaw, Frederick Janes, Alexander Roberts, Alfred Charles Chislett and William Walker.

Rolls of Honor—Proficiency, William Lionel Nicolle; regularity and punctuality, Herbert Host Vigor; and deportment, William Sewell Nason.

Prize Winner—Proficiency and arithmetic, William L. Nicolle, one hundred per cent. in each.

FIFTH DIVISION—TEACHER, MISS G. H. WITHROW.

To Fourth Division—Alexander Moss, Preston Coates, Norman Soule, Peter Carron, Albert Edward Noel, Andrew George, Nello May Smith, Dale Stanley Ewart, Arthur Douglas Belyea, Leslie Henderson, Guy Goddard, Frank Bagshaw, Sinclair John Herd, Hugo Leebig, Ernest Wallace, William George Lemin, Stephen Cullum, Archibald Mcgregor, Frank Pender, Frank Neelands, Edwin Hiscocks, John Carson, Edwin Kelly, John Henry Higgins, William Petticrew, May DeWitto Rooklidge, Douglas Lowell, Raymond Power, John Ferguson, Harvey Fraser, Frederic Futcher, and Hugh Pidcock.

Rolls of Honor—General proficiency, Alexander Moss; deportment, Guy Goddard; regularity and proficiency, Sinclair John Herd.

SIXTH DIVISION—TEACHER, MISS S. KERMODE.

To Fifth Division—William Frederick Glover, Hillcoat Arthur, Chris George Behnsen, Chester Arthur Merrifield, George Robert Arthur, Robert Henry Brown, Milton Oliver Cameron, Milo Roy Chambers, Albert Henry Harrison, Herbert Leiser, William Walker Wrathall, Bertram Leonard Hewartson, Herbert Glassey, Charles Edwin Cruickshanks, William Howard Loat, Albert Joseph Sommers, William Patterson, Henry Peter Wolf, James Nathaniel McIntosh, Thomas James Hood, Austin Gill, William Rapton Piggott, Ralph Wales, William Walter Heathfield Pollard, Percival Robert Brown and James Holmes.

Rolls of Honor—Proficiency, William Frederick Glover; deportment, Albert Joseph Sommers; and regularity and punctuality, Milton Oliver Cameron.

Prize List—Geography, William Rapton Piggott; arithmetic, Chris Behnsen; and mental arithmetic, Hillcoat Arthur.

SEVENTH DIVISION—TEACHER, MISS G H FAWCETT.

To Sixth Division—Ernest Robinson, Ewald Bahlman, George Cruickshanks, Arthur Holley, Harold Rendell Jeffree Cunningham, Ernest Dempster, Hilliard Lewis, William Turner, Harry Beckman, Garnet Merrifield, Alfred Lewis, George McCracken, Reginald Keown, Bruce McEwen, Robert McInnes, William Strachan, Gaskill Owen, Napier Gowan, Victor Creeden, Edgar Parbery, William Dooley, Russell Robinson, Alpin McGregor, Jack Belyea, Douglas O'Brian, Claus McTavish, Frederick Garlande, John Dooley, Andrew Strachan, Benjamin Levy, Wendell Kinloch, David Onorato, Percival Sherritt, and Alexander McKenzie.

Rolls of Honor—Regularity and punctuality, Alex. McKenzie; deportment, Wm. Turner; and proficiency, Ernest Robinson.

Prize List—General proficiency, (1) Ernest Robinson; (2) Ewald Bahlmann.

EIGHTH DIVISION—TEACHER, MISS C. T. LORIMER.

To Seventh Division—Wilfred Badley Goddard, Francis Edward Nason, Edward Connelly Reid, Oscar France Sommer, Alfred Edgar Spragge, Herbert Leighton Gillies, William John Macaffe, Thomas Nute, Harold Jukes Marshall, Robert Hilbier Hiscock, James William Bolden, Charles William Kinlock, William McDougall, Arnold Henry Morley, Walter Mitchell Walker, Cleaver Alexander Wilson, George Everard Augustus Carter, Charles Ross McDougall and Victor Macdonald Irwin.

Rolls of Honor—Proficiency, Wilfred Goddard; deportment, Charles Kinlock; and regularity and punctuality, William Mackenie.

VICTORIA CENTRAL BRANCH SCHOOL—TEACHER, MR. J. F. SALLAWAY.

Promoted to High School—Alexander Riddell, William Charles Roarke, Marion Hornsby, John Carl Pendray and Mildred Williams.

Rolls of Honor—Proficiency, Alexander Riddell; punctuality and regularity, Mary B. Hiscocks; and deportment, Maude Lettice.

SECOND DIVISION—TEACHER, MR. DUNCAN ROSS.

To First Division—Margaret Johnson, Letitia Beam, Isabel Cartmel, Florence Whittaker, Annie Morrison, Olive Souden and Walter Duncan.

Rolls of Honor—Deportment, Florence Maud Whittaker; regularity and punctuality, Letitia Beam, and proficiency, Margaret Johnson.

THIRD DIVISION—TEACHER, MISS M. SANDERSON.

To Second Division—Winnie Ewart, Amy Florence Carter, Jennie Creeden, Eleanor Loat, Isabel Fletcher, Lizzie Strachan, Ina Beam, Margaret Hart, Cameron McEwen, Hannah Gonnason, Tressa Rogerson, Madge Wilson, Dora Scowcroft, Eva Thoburn, Garnet Woleley Duncan, George Noble, John Dempster, Amelia Burt, Miriam Tranter, James Putnam Vye, Chester Leatham, Rufus Lowell, Frank Catterall, Jennie Nicholl, Violet Robinson, Laura Sims, Alexander Vaughan, Wynne Heath, Douglas Scholefield, Lucy Murrant, James Nicholl, Amelia Scott, Charles Cox, Frank Wise and Charles Seach.

Rolls of Honor—Proficiency, Winnie Ewart; deportment, Ella Loat; and punctuality and regularity, Amy Carter.

Prize List—Winnie Ewart, proficiency; Amy Carter, proficency; Ella Loat, deportment; Madge Wilson, regularity; Eva Thoburn, spelling and dictation; Ina Redfern, Amelia Burt and John Dempster.

FOURTH DIVISION—TEACHER, MISS A. C. DOWLER.

To Third Division—Laura Simpson, Mildred Hatch, Mary Imbert, Nancy Robertson, Alice Redfern, Eliza Woodill, Adele Wolfe, Florence Gowen, Nellie Lovell, Annie Dennan, Norah Wilson, Peruana Petit, Elizabeth Tugwell, Irene Hiscocks, Kate Lavender, Marie George, Fannie Finlaison, Grace King and Robert Nicholl (recommended).

Rolls of Honor—Deportment, Mary Imbert; punctuality and regularity, Nora Wilson; and proficiency, Laura Simpson.

Prize List for Regular Attendance—Amy Wilson, Eliza Woodill, Laura Simpson, Mildred Hatch, Nellie Lovell and William Harrison; proficiency, Laura Simpson (prize presented by Mr. W. Bone); Mildred Hatch (prize presented by Trustee J. B. Lovell); Alice Redfern; Mamie Imbert (prize) presented by Mr. C. E. Redfern); Adele Wolfe.

The programme for to-day will include the Rock Bay school in the morning, and the High school, in the South Park building, in the afternoon.

THE TOLMIE SCHOOL.

An Interesting Programme For the Closing Day—Good Progress Reported.

The closing exercises at the Tolmie school were disposed of yesterday afternoon, with Trustee William Graham in the chair and a large and very much interested audience present. The schoolroom was prettily decorated, and everything ran smoothly and agreeably. After the presentation of the appended programme, the promotion and prize lists were read in the order in which they are given:

PROGRAMME.

Opening piece.....Joseph Hancock
Fairy song.....The School
Recitation.....Reginald Roskelley
Recitation—"The Orphan Boy.".....Mabel Bechtel
Song.....Lizzie Hill
Recitation.....Maggie Trickey
Dialogue—"A Morning Talk.".....Maggie Russell and B. Coughlan
Recitation—"A Pert Chick.".....Charlie Graham
Song—"Violets.".....Four Girls and Four Boys
Recitation—"The Inspection".....Jennie Hill
Dialogue—"The Monkey's Visitors.....Joe Hancock, Dick Sewell and Willie Corbet
Song—"Cock Robin.".....Chart Class
Recitation—"Poor Pussy.".....Johnny Gillespie
Dialogue—"What is most beautiful.....Eight Girls
Song—"The Burlesque Band.".....Second Division
Recitation—"Invited out to tea.".....Bertie Caselton
Dialogue—"Your way and my way.....Willie Gillespie and Edgar Abbott
Song—"The Rain.".....First Primer Class
Recitation—"Old King Cole.".....Three Boys
Recitation—"The Mice,".....Four Girls
Song—"Drummer Boy.".....Second Division
Recitation—"What Jerry Caught.".....Bertie Graham
Recitation—"The Three Rats.".....Second Division
Song—"Down by the River.".....First Division
Recitation—"The Sweeps.".....Willie Hill
Recitation—"A. J. A. Prout.".....Ethel Bellamy
Song.....Blanche Cook and Amelia Bechtel
Recitation—"Which shall it be?".....Dorothy Mason
Recitation—"Pussy Cats' Ball.".....Four Girls
Hunting song.....First Division
Recitation.....Maggie Lloyd
Recitation—"Naughty Neptune.".....Second Primer
Song—"Hill Ho!".....The School

Promoted from the Fourth to the Fifth Reader—Nellie Tarbell, Charlotte Brown, Dorothy M. Moxon, Margaret Lloyd, John Russell, Jane Hill and Blanche Cook.

From the Third to the Fourth Reader—Mary Tarbell, James Owens, Joseph Hancock, Leonard Harris, Richard Sewell, Louisa Carto and John McDonald.

From the Second to the Third Reader—Hannah Jobson, Ada Mary Driver, Stanley Coughlan, Bernice Peter, Mabel Brown, Robert Owens, Horace Jobson, Fred Liddell, Rachael Ferguson and Bessie Russell.

From the Second Primer to the Second Reader—Edgar Abbott, Ethel Bellamy, Bertha Coughlan, Albert Clarence Caselton, Henry Driver, Robert Ferguson, William Gillespie, William Hill and Margaret Russell.

From First Primer to Second Primer—Irene Bellamy, Margaret Driver, Albert Hancock, Kate Hill, Edith Lloyd, Jennie G. Littlewood, Norman Owens, Harmon Peter, Ernest Sewell, Louis Smith, John Gillespie, William Mather, Gordon Webb and Elizabeth Trickey.

From Chart to First Primer—Charles Graham, Margaret Carto, Lily Hill, George Johnson, Richard Mather, Raymond Webb, Jennie Coburn and Harriet Anderson.

Rolls of Honor—First Division: Deportment, Louisa Carto; Punctuality and Regularity, William Herbert Graham; Proficiency, Elizabeth Nicholson. Second Division; Deportment, Bertha Coughlan; Punctuality and Regularity, Edgar Abbott; and Proficiency, Margaret Russell.

Prize List—Fifth Reader—1, Elizabeth Nicholson; 2, Mary Harvey Holmes; 3, Henrietta Caselton. Fourth Reader—1, Nellie Tarbell; 2, Margaret Lloyd; 3, Charlotte Brown. Third Reader—1, Joseph Hancock; 2, Mary Tarbell; 3, Ann Holmes. Second Reader—1, Robert Owens; 2, Hannah Jobson; 3, Rachel Ferguson. Second Primer—1, Bertha Coughlan; 2, Margaret Russell; 3, William Gillespie. First Primer—1, Norman Owens; 2, Jennie G. Littlewood; 3, Kate Hill. Chart Class—1, Charles Graham; 2, Lily Hill; 3, Margaret Carto; 4, George Johnson. Extra prizes for deportment—George Tarbell, Louisa Carto, Margaret Driver, Ethel Bellamy, Jane Hill, Mabel Liddell, Elizabeth Hill, Edith Lloyd, Bessie Russell, Albert Clarence Caselton.

The prizes were distributed by Mr. D. M. Eberts, and addresses were given by Mr. Eberts, Mr J. W. Carey and Trustee John Russell. The trustees and teachers thank the following ladies and gentlemen for their kind gift of handsome prizes: Hon. Theodore Davie, Mr. D. M. Eberts, Miss Tolmie, Mrs. Davidson, Mr. J. W. Tolmie, Mr. R. Tolmie, Mr. J. Speed, Mr. C. H. Tarbell, Mrs. Moxon and Mr. John Russell.

AN OPEN LETTER TO TRUSTEE LOVELL.

DEAR SIR:—In your addresses delivered at the public school examination yesterday and the day previous you referred to the severe criticism "by the public" of the design of the James Bay ward building. Will you kindly answer the following question to-morrow afternoon, at the close of the High school examination: Has the James Bay ward school building been erected and completed according to the competitive plans that were on exhibition in the market building? and greatly oblige

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Trains to the East.

The Northern Pacific railway company resumed the running of through trains from the Pacific coast to St. Paul, Chicago and all Eastern points June 14, 1894. Passengers taken through without transfer or delay. Tickets to all points in Europe, Canada and the United States for sale. Office, Adelphi building, Government street, Victoria, B.C. E. E. Blackwood, ticket agent.

Notice.

Traffic over the Spokane Falls & Northern, and Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway, has been fully resumed, and business is taken through the same day between Spokane, Nelson, Kaslo and all Kootenay Lake points.

Look out for Prize Books at Hibben & Co.'s.

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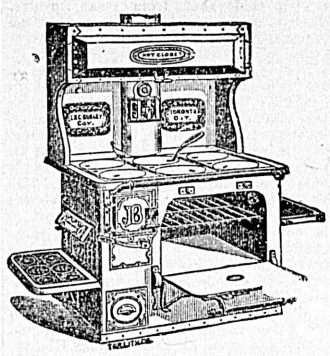

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Victoria, B.C., July 1, 1893. ap5 GEO. GILLESPIE, MANAGER.

TENDERS.

CITY OF VICTORIA WATER WORKS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to the 3rd day of July, 1894, at 4 p.m., for furnishing approximately 310 tons (of 2240 lbs) of Cast Iron Coated Plain Water Pipes, and 3½ tons of Special Castings, to the Corporation of the City of Victoria, for the Victoria Water Works, in accordance with specification to be seen at the office of the Water Commissioner, Victoria, where also forms of tender may be obtained.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., May 8th, 1894. my9

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

(INCORPORATED 1890.)

The Fourth Annual Meeting of the Donors and Subscribers to the Institution will be held in the City Hall, on Friday, the 29th June, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Business—Receiving the Annual Report of the President and Directors, and the Treasurer's Statement for the year ending 1st June, likewise the Election of Directors.

In accordance with the Act of Incorporation the six following Directors retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election: J. S. Yates, E. C. Baker, Alexander Wilson, Charles Hayward, H. Helmcken and William C. Ward.

In accordance with the Act of Incorporation the following six Directors were re elected at the annual meeting on 30th June last year for a term of two years, and are therefore still in office: George Byrnes, Joshua Davies, William M. Chudley, A. C. Flumerfelt, F. B. Gregory and E. A. McQuade.

ALL DONORS OF MONEY AND SUBSCRIBERS are eligible to vote for the election of Directors.

H. M. YATES,
Secretary.

Office Yates & Jay, Bastion street.
Victoria, B. C., 11th June, 1894.

P.S.—According to the new Act of the Local Parliament DONORS AND SUBSCRIBERS can vote for four members only. The City Council nominate five (5), the Local Government three (3) and the French Benevolent Society three (3), making a total of fifteen Directors. je12 td

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the "Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, 1890," and Amending Acts

NOTICE is hereby given that Patrick Thomas Patton, of Victoria, B.C., hotel-keeper, has by deed dated on the 20th day of June, 1894, assigned all his personal estate, credit and effects which may be seized and sold under execution and all his real estate, unto William H. Redmond, of Victoria aforesaid, commission merchant, in trust for the benefit of all his creditors, and said deed was executed by said parties and trust undertaken by the said William H. Redmond, the trustee, on the said 20th day of June, 1894. Creditors of the said Patrick Thomas Patton are required to send full particulars of their claims, proved by statutory declaration; to the said trustee, at Victoria, B.C., on or before the 28th day of July, 1894, and all persons indebted to the said Patrick Thomas Patton are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the said trustee forthwith.

After the said 28th day of July, 1894, the said trustee will proceed to distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which he then shall have notice.

Dated the 20th day of June, 1894.

McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD,
Board of Trade Building, Bastion Street, Victoria, B.C., Solicitors or William H. Redmond, Trustee. je22-1mo

Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all taxes levied under the Assessment Act are now due for the year 1894. All of the above-named taxes collectable within the Electoral Districts of Victoria City, Victoria, Esquimalt and Coast Districts, are payable at my office.

Assessed taxes are collectable at the following rates, viz.:

If paid on or before June 30th, 1894—
One-half of one per cent. on real property.
Two per cent. on wild land.
One-third of one per cent. on personal property.
One half of one per cent. on income.

If paid after June 30th, 1894—
Two-thirds of one per cent. on real property.
Two and one-half per cent. on wild land.
One-half of one per cent. on personal property.
Three-fourths of one per cent. on income.
Provincial Revenue Tax, $3.00 per capita (Victoria City excepted).

CORNELIUS BOOTH,
Assessor and Collector.
January 2nd, 1894. ap19-td

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance," from the 1st day of April, 1894, until the 1st day of April, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th March, 1894. fe10-td

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the "Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, 1890," and Amending Acts.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Gage Moody, of No. 6 Amelia street, Victoria B.C., grocer, has by deed dated 22nd June, 1894, assigned all his personal estate except as in said deed mentioned, and all his real estate unto Frederick George Quick, of Victoria District, farmer, for the benefit of his creditors. Said deed was executed by said F. G. Moody, and said F. G. Quick, and trusts thereof undertaken by said F. G. Quick, on said 22nd June, 1894.

Creditors of said F. G. Moody are required to send full particulars of their claims duly proved to the Trustee at Victoria, B.C., on or before the 1st August, 1894, and all persons indebted to the said F. G. Moody, are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the said Trustee forthwith.

After the 1st August, 1894, the said Trustee will proceed to distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which he then shall have notice.

Dated 23rd June, 1894.

LINDLEY CREASE,
16 Chancery Lane, Victoria B.C.
Solicitor for the above named Trustee.
je24-1mo

TRANSPORTATION.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y.

On Monday, July 2nd, afternoon trains will run the same as on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, on all of which days Excursion Tickets will be issued, good to return not later than Monday evening.

JOSEPH HUNTER,
Gen'l Sup't.
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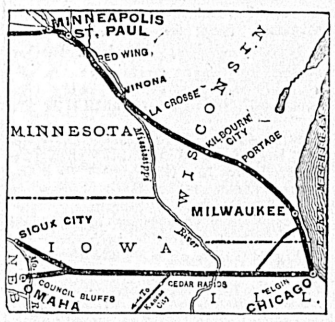
PACIFIC DIVISION.

NOTICE.

Daily Passenger Train Service will commence on the Shuswap & Okanagan Railway on Monday, July 2nd.

H. ABBOTT,
General Superintendent.
Vancouver, B.C., June 27, 1894. je28-6t

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry.



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" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.
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The Colonist.

FRIDAY, JUNE 29 1894.

NOTE.

Changes of advertisements must be handed in not later than 6 p.m. in order to insure insertion the following day.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, June 29, 1894.

Sun rises.... 4:01 a.m. | Sun sets .... 8:05 p.m.
Moon rises...12:40 a.m. | Moon sets... 4:35 p.m.
Day of year—180th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. slower than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, June 28, 1894.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m	51°	Mean 53°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	51°		
9 a. m..	54°	Highest 54°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	54°		1 p.m —Calm.
5 p. m .	54°	Lowest 50°	9 p.m.—8 S
9 p. m..	53°		Rain—.12.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—J Mensor, J Anderson, F Frye, W H Hutchinson, Agnes Woodard, H F J ckson, W C Jackson, Geo Mera, H Martin, J Kelly, W James.

Per Steamer PREMIER, from Vancouver—Campbell, Mrs Morrison, L Hagstrong, A Wheeler, Miss Murray, J E Crane, F M York, M Cohen, T L Begbie, D R Harris, Lt Col Peters, S Walton, K K Peiser, J Sehl, Mrs Sherwood, Mrs Landridge, N S Hoffar, A Scott, W A Monroe, E P Davies, R Collister, Jas Clark, Thos Abray, J Mitchel, A J Burrell, F E Squire, D W Camp, Chas W Cole, Mrs Ross, Miss Dollie Sehl, Helen Peverett, Emma H Stephens, Mrs Walton.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—Wm Hayes, J L Kokland, Mrs Serage, Dr Chalmers and wife, Master Hutchinson, J S Staver, F McMurray, J Morgan, A Rosenberg, J H Wills, F Liper, C L Perkins, W C Battons, Mrs J H McTough, Mrs Aroadale, P McCarty, J McCarty, Chas Parker, Miss Saunders, D Burns, C Olsen, Jno Mordauch, L Larson, P Forrest, M Pickin, B P Maloney, J Orstrom, L Brown, Miss P Archibald, Samuel Smith and wife, Mrs Dalby, Hazel Dalby, J P Campbell and wife and father, W La Claire, H D Foster, Miss Ross, Mrs F L Hix, E W McTinson, J Smith and brother.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—Thos McNeely, W A McIntosh, L Goodacre, Simon Leiser, B Van Volkenberg and Mrs F D Souden.

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DIED.

DUNLAP—At the residence of F. T. Grigg, Nanaimo, on June 28th, of asthmatic pneumonia, John T. Dunlap, aged 62 years.

Funeral will take place from Charles Hayward's undertaking parlor, Victoria, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are cordially invited to attend.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, June 28.—The hearing of the Lobb murder case has been further remanded until next week. Mr. A. F. Lobb, a brother of the prisoner, is out from Toronto and will stay here until after the trial.

Miss Lizzie Sharples, of the Central girls' school, has carried off the medal offered by His Excellency the Governor-General for competition between the High schools of New Westminster and Nanaimo. Miss Sharples obtained an average of 77½ per cent. of the marks possible, being 10 per cent. higher than any other competitor.

The North ward and Central (girls') schools closed to-day for the summer vacation. To-morrow the South ward and Boys' schools close and on Friday the High school breaks up.

W. Jones has resigned the position of secretary of the local branch of the Seamen's Union of the Pacific and has been replaced by Henry Wolfe, formerly of Eureka.

The accounts of the Queen's birthday celebration committee having been duly audited, show a deficit of $33, which the city council will be asked to make good.

The members of Doric lodge, A. F. & A. M., at their last regular meeting presented Past Master Bro. W. H. S. Perkins with a valuable gold watch.

144-MILE HOUSE.

144-MILE HOUSE, June 14.—Much regret is felt here at the death, which occurred on Sunday, the 3rd instant, of Henry Felken, sr., at the age of 66 The deceased was a native of Hanover, Germany, and was a pioneer of the Province, having come to this country in 1858. He resided in Yale until 1862, but when the Cariboo gold excitement broke out he proceeded with his family into that section, where he for some years kept the well known "Blue Tent." He leaves a widow, four sons and two daughters.

AS A matter of convenience to those intending to see the lacrosse match and other sporting events at the Terminal City on Monday, arrangements have been made to have the steamer Premier leave the C P.N. wharf at 2 o'clock on the morning of that day, starting for home again at 7 in the evening. The fare is $2 for the round trip ticket, good till July 4.

A LETTER expressing deep regret and full of apologies was received by Edward Smith, assistant city treasurer, yesterday from Stantley Taylor, who a few days ago was actively pushing business in this city in the interest of the Jas. Dost Company, law stationers, Toronto, without having taken out a license as required by law. As he failed to respond to a summons to attend at the city police court to answer for the offence, a warrant was issued for his arrest, but he had already left the city. He states in his letter that he has cancelled all contracts made in the city, and pleading ignorance of the requirement of the law he hopes that the matter will be allowed to drop.

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

Mr. John Bryden Has a Splendid Reception at Englishman's River.

The Opposition Candidate Completely Nonplussed—The Government Policy Endorsed.

ENGLISHMAN'S RIVER, June 27, via Nanaimo, June 28.—(Special)—The schoolhouse at Englishman's River was crowded to the very doors this afternoon, it being previously advertised that Mr. Bryden would hold a meeting at that place. Mr. Pillar was voted to the chair, and in a few brief remarks stated that they had to-day the privilege of having both Mr. Bryden, the government candidate, and Mr. Smith, the oppositionist, to address them. He hoped the audience would give the various speakers their careful attention.

Mr. Bryden upon rising was greeted with such loud and prolonged applause that he was for some time unable to speak. He briefly stated that he had allowed himself to be nominated not to indorse all the government may have done or might do, but to carry out his address or platform to the very letter. He forcibly showed up Mr. Smith, who had stated at a meeting at Wellington that the present survey made by the E & N. Ry. Co. to Comox was a farce and was just for the election. Mr. Bryden went on to say that the E & N. Railway had on two or three previous occasions started on a surveying expedition, for the purpose of locating the good or bad, high or low lands, so that purchasers when going to the land office at Victoria would have pointed out to them the condition of the land as the case might be. After disposing of the various charges made by Mr. Smith against Mr. Bryden and the government, of which Mr. Smith was unable to make any defence, Mr. Bryden went on to illustrate and comment upon his platform, taking it plank by plank. He further stated that the Davie government was a progressive government, and he felt sure, taking it with all its faults and all its virtues, it was a government that every British subject ought to be proud of. (Loud cheers.) The manner in which the business of the province was conducted in the last session was indeed a convincing proof that the reins of power had been placed in trustworthy hands. He went on to show that the finances of the province had been very properly used, and demonstrated the progressive spirit of the Davie administration.

Mr. Bryden, who had now been speaking fifty minutes, asked if anyone had any questions to ask, to which there was no response. He then thanked the audience for their kind attention, and took his seat amid cheers and great applause, which lasted for several minutes.

Mr. Smith, the opposition candidate, had very little to say and received no applause whatever. He endorsed Mr. Bryden's platform and said if he followed it up he would convert the government. He dealt with the Nakusp and Slocan Railway and said he was not responsible for what Mr. Forster might have said concerning the government. His remarks throughout were brief.

H.A. Dillon, the next speaker, said "You will remember that Mr. Bryden has been in the province thirty-two years and I think he will make an able representative."

John Horrobin addressed the audience with but little or no effect, they being anxious to hear the government supporters only. He said Mr. Smith's whole interests were in the province.

Shouts—"He has none."

Mr. Alex. Sharp, amidst great applause, replied to Mr. Smith in an able manner. He showed the progress the province had made under the Davie government, and dealt extensively with the financial question, showing the indebtedness of some of the cities as compared with that of the province. After speaking for about thirty minutes he took his seat amidst loud cheering.

Mr. William Lee, of Englishman's River, who supported the government and Mr. Bryden, said the opposition had done nothing. For the past four years they had not seen them; but he believed Mr. Bryden, having an extensive experience, would attend to the wants of the district, adding that Englishman's River did not want any more opposition.

A vote of thanks to the chairman brought the proceedings to a close, the audience dispersing with three hearty cheers for Mr. Bryden.

GIVING THEM A START.

Hon. Col. Baker Finishes the Work of Distributing Seed to Flood Sufferers.

The following interview with Hon. Col. Baker appears in Wednesday's World:

Hon. Col. Baker passed through the city to-day on his way to Victoria, and will leave for East Kootenay on Friday. He regrets that the opposition having sent up Mr. Schou to oppose him, necessitates his leaving his important work on the Fraser river before he can complete it to his satisfaction. So far as the distribution of the seed is concerned, all is now happily arranged, but he intended to have looked thoroughly into the means of replacing bridges and repairing public roads, and also into the dyking question—works which must now be postponed for a few weeks. The government relief work which he has now completed may be divided into three sections: (1) The removal of cattle and stock into places of safety; (2) The sustenance of cattle and stock, and also of settlers in urgent need; (3) The provision and distribution of seed and potatoes to the farmers who have suffered from the floods. In all these cases it was a battle with time, because the needs were immediate, but the numerous settlers were scattered over such a large area—extending for nearly 100x20 miles, that it was exceedingly difficult to satisfy the necessities of the case. All the cattle and stock were removed to the mountains, where it was possible to do so, and in other cases they were obliged to be left on rafts and raised platforms in barns. On the mountains the cattle, sheep and hogs could rustle on the brush, but draught horses and mares with foals had to be fed with hay. This was no light task in itself, as the distribution of seed had to go on at the same time, and the stock on rafts and in barns attended to also, as well as the settlers who were in want of food. The latter fortunately are not numerous—perhaps 20 families in the whole valley—but great discrimination had to be exercised in order to limit the distribution to those really in want. The fight against time was the most difficult in the case of the distribution of seed, because it has to be sown at once, otherwise it will be of no use. However, the difficulties have all been overcome, the supplies of seed have been delivered at the distributing points along the river. The farmers are drawing their supplies of seed from these points, and at Chilliwack the bulk of the seed is already in the ground. In the case of Richmond, Surrey, The Delta and Coquitlam, the farmers have received orders, signed by Col. Baker, on the seed merchants in New Westminster, and are drawing their seed from that centre. Especial care has been taken that the application for seed from each farmer should be checked by local authorities, who know the areas under cultivation and large reductions have in many cases been made. Col. Baker has refused to hold any political meetings during his many peregrinations, as he maintains that the work of relief is apart from all politics, and it is his duty to limit his endeavors to that urgent undertaking. He has never asked any man his political views; all have been treated fairly to the best of his ability. Of course there are some grumblers, but all the farmers and settlers generally are quite satisfied and grateful for the labors of the government in their behalf. Too much praise cannot be given to all those who were associated with Col. Baker in his work, especially to the officers and crew of the steamer Gladys, which formed Col. Baker's headquarters. For the last month both officers and men have been at work in all weather, daily from 4 a.m. till 10 p m. There has never been a murmur or grumble the whole time, but on the contrary the greatest cheerfulness and good-will. Before leaving the steamer Col. Baker called the captain, officers and crew together, and thanked them on behalf of the government, and he said he was sure he might add all the farmers of the Fraser river valley also, if they could find the voice, for the manner in which they had performed their duties. And now that the work is finished it is safe to say that had it not been for the prompt action taken by the government many a one would have been a serious sufferer from the flood, but aid came in time, and for acting as it did the people are grateful to the government.

EAST YALE.

No Question as to the Triumphant Success of the Minister of Lands and Works.

A gentleman writing from Vernon states, in a private letter, that the number of voters at present, about 1,000, in the East riding is likely to be increased to three or four times that number in a couple of years, owing to the development of the Boundary Creek and other mines in the district. The writer, who had been visiting Camp McKinney, says that the day he left one man took with him to Marcus 31 pounds of gold crushed out of his mill. Contracts have been made by the Sky Lark mine owners for conveying 100 tons of assorted silver ore to Marcus by pack horses. The indications of a prosperous mining industry being prosecuted on a large scale never were so good, and a jubilant feeling prevails.

Speaking of the political situation the writer says that it is decidedly favorable to the return of Hon. Mr. Vernon by a large majority.

Mr. Vernon has been making a tour of the riding, and has met with a splendid reception everywhere. J. M. Duval, the notorious agitator of Vancouver, who has been hired by the opposition to go up to Yale, is stumping, but with the success which might be expected to accompany that gentleman's efforts. At a meeting at Vernon on the 20th inst. he and a local barrister came in contact with Mr. Vernon. The latter's address was a splendid one, and his success was complete in vanquishing Mr. Duval. If there were any doubtful persons in the hall when the meeting opened there were none when the meeting closed. The letter in question states that all the talk in the opposition papers of the Coast about Yale going opposition is mere rubbish, done with the purpose of influencing votes in other ridings.

THE MASONIC TEMPLE.

How It Is to Be Altered and Improved—A Modern Structure Provided For.

The old Masonic building is to undergo a great transformation. The contract for remodelling and erecting an addition has been awarded to Thomas Catterall for something in the neighborhood of $19,000, but when the work is completed the cost will foot up some $20,000. The old portion is to have a third story added to it, and a new addition three stories high, fronting 53 feet on Fisgard street with a depth of 80 feet, is to be built. The fine new modern block resulting will not bear much resemblance to the present structure. Practically all the old front is to be torn down, and plate glass, terra cotta, a cut stone entrance on the corner, with other embellishments, will make the old building take a different look. The entire interior, with the exception of the lodge room, will be remodelled.

There are to be three stores on the ground floor of the old portion and other changes in the upper stories. The new portion is to be of brick with stone dressings combined with iron and terra cotta to make a handsome front. There will be two stores on the ground floor, while a fine entrance, panelled and vestibuled with a broad staircase, will give access to the upper stories of both buildings. An assembly room, 60x35 feet, will be on the first floor, with smoking and dressing rooms and all conveniences for balls and parties, while above, on the next floor, a handsomely arched supper room of the same size is to be situated with kitchen and other accessories. The secretary's room, with vaults attached, is to be on the ground floor. The grand staircase is to give access to the old portion of the building, which is to be retained for the purposes of the craft.

PERSONAL.

Hon. Colonel Baker left for East Kootenay this morning.

Miss Dollie Sehl arrived home from Germany yesterday evening.

Mrs. G. A. Jordan, of Vancouver, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Withrow.

Mrs. and Miss Dalby arrived from Seattle by the City of Kingston last evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Chalmers were passengers from the Sound by the City of Kingston yesterday.

C. L. Perkins and John F. Staver, the fast flyers of the Portland Bicycle Club, are guests at the New England.

E J. Palmer, Chemainus; E. P. Davis, Vancouver; and J. Mitchell, Kingston, Ont., are guests at the Hotel Victoria.

M. McIvor Campbell, Vancouver; Mrs. M. Morison, England; and Mr. Clark, Toronto, are among the new arrivals at the Driard.

A. S. Kohlund, for some time connected with the COLONIST reportorial staff, visited the city yesterday. He is at present ahead of Sells Bros.' circus, which is to pay Victoria a visit in August.

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TRAMCAR No. 4, running on the Douglas street and outer wharf line, came to grief last evening at 7.10 o'clock, in an unusual and somewhat peculiar manner. It was in charge of Motorneer Gordon and Conductor Allnutt at the time, and was coming down the hill between Herald street and Pembroke when it jumped the track. The brakes were hard set, but the rails and road were slippery, and the down grade carried the car bouncing and bounding across the road, over the sidewalk and down six feet or more into the vacant lot at the corner of Pembroke street. The motorneer and the conductor remained on the car, as did one of the three passengers, Mr. J. Russell, who was thrown to the floor by the concussion and sustained severe bruises and a bad shaking up. He was taken to his home, where Dr. Frank Hall was soon in attendance upon him. Mr. D. M. Eberts and Mr. S. Sea, jr., who were also passengers on the car, jumped, and escaped with very slight injuries. The accident was caused by some small obstruction on the rail.

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PUBLIC MEETING.

The Electors of the City of Victoria Electoral District are requested to meet the Candidates in support of the present Government at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Fernwood Road, on FRIDAY, the 29th JUNE, INSTANT, at 8 o'clock p m je28

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